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ROYAL NAVY Signalling to Merchant Vessels

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, August 5.
The importance of rapid and reliable means of communication between ships of the Royal Navy and merchant vessels is obvious, but it is only since the War that steps have been taken authoritatively to improve such inter-communication and to encourage opportunities of practice. Every quarter the Admiralty issue extracts from the reports of such practice. Those for the quarter ended March 31, 1935, are very satisfactory. They show a total of 1,438 successful exercises carried out, as compared with 1,129 for the previous quarter. The total for the corresponding period of 1934 was 1,285, or 153 less than that of the March quarter of 1935. There were only two failures to establish communication this year, as compared with four last year.

In both years the 8th Destroyer Flotilla, China Station, was first in order of merit. This year it had 103 successful exercises, as compared with 94 last year. Other units which did well were the Hawkins, East Indies, 89; the York, America and West Indies, 69; the Eagle, Mediterranean, 66; and the Calcutta, on troping service, 58.

A table is again given showing the number of exercises by vessels of various companies. This cannot be taken as a statement of comparative signal efficiency as between different companies, as the opportunities for signalling are so varied. The British Tanker Company had 124 exercises (12 more than a year ago); the P. & O. Company, 76; Ellerman Lines, 78; the China Navigation Company, 65; the British India Steam Navigation Company, 55; and the Ocean Steamship Company, 44.

INCOME-TAX RETURNS

Attention is directed in Fleet Orders to the necessity for the early completion of returns of income. In the absence of a return emoluments are liable to be taxed without further notice at the full standard rate of 4s. 6d. in the pound, without reliefs or allowances. Any person assessable to tax who has not yet received a form of return is to make application to the accountant officer of his ship or establishment.

CADETSHIP VACANCIES

A qualifying examination for the entry of naval cadets into the R.N. College, Dartmouth, will be held in December. Candidates for this examination must be between the ages of 13 years four months and 13 years eight months on December 1, 1935. Applications to sit for the examination must be received at the Admiralty by October 18. There will be approximately 40 vacancies.

NEWS IN BRIEF

The fleet tug St. Cyrus will pay off and recommission for further service in the Home Fleet on August 13.

The trawler Barbet (boom-working vessel), purchased in 1933 for £16,840, has been commissioned at Hong Kong.

OBITUARY

Sir Evelyn Brise

London, Aug. 20.
The newspapers pay tributes to the work of Sir Evelyn Ruggles Brise, Chairman of the Prison Commission from 1895 to 1921, and President of the International Prison Commission in 1910, who died on Sunday, aged 77.

Ruggles Brise was associated with many reforms in the prison administration, which attracted attention and emulation in foreign countries, including the establishment of the Borstal System method of preventive detention, and the instruction for prisoners in useful trades.

The early days of his administration saw the final abolition of the treadmill.

British Wireless.

ABYSSINIA AND THE LEAGUE

Emperor's Silver Policy

(Special Air Mail Service)

In spite of the undercurrent of apprehension and preparation the Government maintain external calm and are awaiting the results of the League meeting. They will not compromise on the question of raising the general issue, rather than the Walwal incident only because, according to military information, the Italian preparations in Eritrea are far advanced and felt to be a threat to peace. Though there is much relief here that Italy is attending the Geneva meeting, yet some fear that the juristic personnel of her delegation may be useful only to spin out time till the military preliminaries are completed and it is impossible for Ethiopia to import rifles or ammunition.

Three Italians took the train from here to Jibuti this morning, including the wife of a member of the Legation staff, the first Italian with official connexions to leave Ethiopia since the dispute began, except, as is reported, the wife of the Consul at Harar. The two French schools attached to the Lazariste Mission and the Alliance Francaise also closed today; no more children will be accepted, the furniture is to be removed, and the teachers say that they are going to Europe.

SHOPS CLOSED

Shops in the capital have shut their doors at the instigation of Bombay and Armenian firms, who sent out their clerks this morning to proclaim a hartal. The object of this is to force the Emperor, who has checked the export of silver except through the Bank of Ethiopia and pegged the thaler to sterling at about 13.50, to change his policy and reintroduce a free market, enabling the export of thalers at the market rate of silver—10.50 to the pound. It is not believed, however, that the Emperor will yield.

These and less accurate reports of the departure of British missionaries are causing some nervousness among the polyglot trading population here, who fear partly pecuniary loss and partly the traditional severity of the Ethiopian Government to merchants who oppose them.

The report of the incident at Wolkait, in which 40 Italians and 20 Ethiopians are said to have been killed in a clash, is unconfirmed by the Government, but the story is supported in detail by an excellent source in Tigre, the neighbouring province. It is not policy here to encourage incidents, especially in Wolkait, where the troops, though fairly disciplined under Dedjasmach Ayelu, are particularly ready to go for an enemy and private patriots abound. Tigre and Wolkait, indeed, contain the best fighting stock in Ethiopia and have continually to be kept in check.

DROUGHT UNBROKEN

London, Aug. 20.
The thirty days drought in Southern Britain is still unbroken, and a period of fine weather with the highest temperatures of the year is forecasted.

Last night's minimum temperature in London was 63 degrees Fahrenheit, and the thermometer reached 81 degrees this afternoon.

British Wireless.

POOR RELIEF

London, Aug. 20.
Figures issued by the Ministry of Labour show a general decrease in the number of persons in receipt of poor relief. In 47 selected areas in England, Wales and Scotland, the number relieved on a day in July was 1.5 per cent less than in

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

THURSDAY, AUGUST 22

Anniversaries and Holidays.—Feast of the Seven Joys of Our Lady.
Auctions.—Crown Lands, Ping Shan, 11.30 a.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"Transient Lady."
Queen's:—"One New York Night."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"The Silk Express."
Alhambra:—"Pursued."
Majestic:—"The Red Morning."
Star:—"Bird of Paradise."
Meetings.—Theosophical Society Study Class, 8 p.m.; Annual, Kowloon Football Club, 8 p.m.; Women's Fellowship, Committee, St. Andrew's Hall, 11 a.m.
Miscellaneous.—Claims against the Estate of Henry Richard Llandolt due.
Social.—"Busy Bees" mah jong drive, Cathedral Hall, 3 p.m.; Civil service Cricket Club Whist Drive, 8.45 p.m.; Whist Drive on board H.M.S. Tamar, 8.45 p.m.

Sports

"Badminton.—St. Andrew's Club Tournament Final.
Football.—Kowloon F. C. Annual Meeting, 6 p.m.
Swimming.—Royal Welch Fusiliers Sports (Finals), 2 p.m.
Moon.—VII Moon, 24th Day.
Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.50 p.m.
Tides.—High at 2.45 and 17.42. Low at 10.50 and 19.25.

FRIDAY, AUGUST 23

Cinemas

King's:—"Transient Lady."
Queen's:—"One New York Night."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"The Mayor of Hell."
Alhambra:—"The Black Sheep."
Majestic:—"Naughty Marietta."
Star:—"All Quiet on the Western Front."
Lectures.—Christian Fellowship, Helena May, 10.30 a.m.
Miscellaneous.—Whist Drive and Tombola, R.A. W.O.'s and Sgts. Mess, 8.30 p.m.; All Ranks Open Air Tombola, Wellington Barracks, 7.30 p.m.

Sports

Swimming.—D/S Coy. (Lincolls). Finals, 2.30 p.m.
Moon.—VII Moon, 25th Day.
Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.49 p.m.
Tides.—High at 3.55; Low at 12.24.

SATURDAY, AUGUST 24

Anniversaries and Holidays.—St. Bartholomew. Stopping of Heat (Ch'u-shu).

Bathing.—Y.M.C.A. Police Pier, 3 p.m.; Methodist Church, Police Pier, 2.30 p.m.; Gloucester Road, 2.45 p.m.; Kowloon Tong Anglican Church, Police Pier, 3.15 p.m.; St. Andrew's Church, Police Pier, 3.30 p.m.

Cinemas

King's:—"Transient Lady."
Queen's:—"One New York Night."
Central:—"Chinese Picture."
Oriental:—"The Mayor of Hell."
Alhambra:—"The Black Sheep."
Majestic:—"Naughty Marietta."
Star:—"Viennese Nights."
Social.—Tombola on board H.M.S. Tamar, 7.15 p.m.; Craigengower Cricket Club Whist Drive, 9 p.m.

Sports

Baseball.—Canadians v. Chinese (La Salle College), 3.30 p.m.
Bowls.—First Division, Police R.C. v. Civil Service C.C.; Kowloon B.G.C. v. Craigengower C.C. "A"; Kowloon Docks v. Indian R.C.; Craigengower "B" v. Kowloon C.C.; Second Division Civil Service C.C. v. Police R.C.; Craigengower C.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C.; Hong Kong Electric v. Tai Koo R.C.; Kowloon C.C. v. Yaht Club; Club de Retrelo v. Hong Kong F.C.
Moon.—VII Moon, 26th Day.
Sunrise.—6.03 a.m. Sunset.—6.48 p.m.
Tides.—High at 5.10 and 21.25; Low at 13.20 and 22.45.

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MANUFACTURE OF AIRCRAFT

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.
An appeal to the Government and to aeroplane builders to consider the advantages possessed by Glasgow as a centre for the manufacture of aircraft was made by Colonel Norman Kennedy, D.S.O., president of the Glasgow Chamber of Commerce, when he presided yesterday at the quarterly meeting of the Chamber.

In addition to its industrial advantages, he said, the district was as far removed as possible from the danger zone in the event of an air invasion.

Colonel Kennedy said that during the last few months a great deal of attention had been directed to the position of this country in regard to air strength. As the members were aware, it had been decided to add very considerably to the number of aeroplanes in the Air Force. As this increase was likely to be permanent, and as there was every indication of expansion in commercial aviation, he would appeal as strongly as he could, not only to the Government but also to aeroplane builders in general, to consider seriously the advantages of Glasgow and the West of Scotland.

By locating their works in the Glasgow district they would not only be able to utilise the resources of the area in raw materials, skilled workmen, and municipal services, but they would be placing their works in a district as far removed as possible from the danger zone in the possible event of air invasion, and incidentally they would be helping a distressed area.

The same arguments would apply equally to the establishment of new aerodromes, in which this district was sadly deficient.

THE DEVELOPMENT BOARD

Referring to the Development Board for Glasgow, the President said the Board was formally wound up on June 3 last. Owing to the lack of support no other course was possible. It was thought, however, that the work the Board had done and the records it had collected were too valuable to be lost, so he was glad to be able to inform them that the Chamber had set up a Development Committee to carry on and extend as far as possible the work of the Development Board. This committee had not yet got properly into its stride, but as the records of the old Board were available they hoped that it would do good work in the future.

OTTAWA AGREEMENTS

The President said he wished to draw the attention of members to the question of the Ottawa agreements. The Chamber was asked by the Association of British Chambers of Commerce to go fully into

this subject with a view to collecting information that would be helpful to a committee the associated Chambers intend to set up to deal with this matter.

A circular was sent to all members of the Glasgow Chamber asking their views. They had got a good deal of information from the replies received, but naturally most of the replies dealt only with a fraction of the subject. He would be very grateful if those who had answered the letter could supplement their answers by constructive or destructive criticism, and he should like to have any comments anyone else could furnish, as the question of the Ottawa agreements was one on which there was a good deal of difference of opinion as to whether the agreements have been a good thing or not.

Mr. Cecil Weir had agreed to represent the Glasgow Chamber on the Special Committee to be appointed by the associated Chambers.

OBJECTIONS TO HOUSING BILL

In conjunction with other Chambers in Scotland, and with the support of many important public bodies, the Glasgow Chamber made a last effort to bring before the Government again what they considered were the features in the Housing (Scotland) Bill which required further alterations and amendment in order to make the Bill more workable and more equitable.

Unfortunately their efforts met with little or no success. The only satisfaction they had was that they put before the Government the considered judgment of a large number of public bodies interested in the Bill, and showed that the opposition to certain of its provisions was influential and widespread.

CONDITION OF INDUSTRIES

Reviewing the progress of local industries he said the condition of the iron and steel trades during the first six months of the year compared favourably with the corresponding period of last year, and the prospects for the rest of the year were good. The outlook in shipbuilding, unfortunately, was not promising, and he understood that the Government's "scrap and build plan" had not resulted in a single order coming to the Clyde.

He reminded the members that the Empire Parliamentary Delegation were to visit Glasgow on Monday of next week, and that Mr. H. F. Gurney, Trade Commissioner in Newfoundland, was to be at the Chamber on July 23, 24, and 25, to meet with those interested in trade with Newfoundland. The President concluded by moving the adoption of the committee's minutes, which were approved.

VETERANS OF THE SERVICES

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.
Major-General the Earl of Athlone carried out, on the parade ground of the Honourable Artillery Company in City Road, the annual inspection of the London divisions of the United Services Corps. It was the first time the Earl of Athlone had inspected the Corps since he became president. Over 500 men were on parade, including a number from the Midland Division at Birmingham.

The United Services Corps was originally known as the Veterans' Corps, and came into existence soon after the close of the South African War. The object of the organization is to find employment in the higher categories of responsibility and trust for warrant officers, non-commissioned officers, and men of his Majesty's fighting forces on their discharge from the Services.

Men are posted to one of the four London divisions according to the unit in which they served in the Regular forces. The average age on enrolment is between 30 and 40, but there are still a number of senior members on the active list who fought in the Egyptian War of 1882. Many of them were present at the inspection. The membership also includes survivors of every campaign since 1892, and the array of medals held by the members constitutes, therefore, an impressive record of British military achievement.

The Earl of Athlone, who was wearing the undress uniform of a major-general, was received at the parade by Lieutenant-General Sir William Pulteney (chairman of the council), Mr. James A. Malcolm (who with the late Major E. A. Haggard founded the Corps), Admiral Mark Kerr (a vice-president), and Air Vice-Marshal C. A. H. Longcroft (member of the council). Lord Fortescue, Colonel Commandant, Honourable Artillery Company, was represented by Major R. C. Cole. Major P. R. Jack-

son-Taylor, the Commandant, was in charge of the parade. The band of the Honourable Artillery Company was present, under the direction of Mr. F. Gibbs.

After having inspected the divisions and taken the salute at a march-past, the Earl of Athlone addressed the parade. He said the strength of the parade was very satisfactory, taking into consideration that a large number of men were employed on Sunday duties and the extra work occasioned this year by the King's Silver Jubilee, which had done so much to raise their spirits and to renew their pride in their great heritage as Englishmen and as loyal subjects.

An organization in which the three fighting Services were so well represented was rightly named the United Services Corps. On parade that morning "A" Division was made up entirely of the Royal Navy and the Royal Marines, while "B," "C," and "D" Divisions contained representatives of every corps, regiment, and department of the British Army, with the exception at the present time of only five line battalions. The Royal Air Force, as the junior Service, was naturally not so well represented, but with the growth of that service it would not be long before "I" Division, whose guidon was Air Force blue, would be up to full strength. Members of the corps were employed in every variety of post where reliability and trustworthiness were indispensable, and the fact that by joining a United Services Corps they voluntarily agreed to be subject to a high standard of discipline was in the best interests of employers. In 30 years the Corps had built up an enviable reputation for discipline, efficiency, and reliability which was second to none, and the fact that there had been no case of really serious complaint over that long period was a good indication of the high standard required for membership and the sense of personal responsibility shown by the members themselves.

After paying a tribute to Sir William Pulteney, Mr. J. A. Malcolm, and the Commandant, the President said he had heard nothing but good of the work of the

MALAY RUNS AMOK

Two Fatally Injured

Singapore, Aug. 15.
A Malay ran amok with a parang in a kampong at Temerloh on Monday morning and, before he was seized, had killed a woman and a little girl and seriously injured a woman, a young girl and a little boy.

Having been captured, following a struggle, after taking refuge in his house, he was conveyed by the police to Kuala Lumpur, and last evening was taken by train to Tanjong Rambutan for observation as to his mental condition.

No reason for the man's outburst has been discovered. He is Abu Bakar bin Kassim, and 30 years old. He was divorced from his wife some years ago and lived alone. Without any warning, on Monday he ran out of his house, armed with a parang, and ferociously attacked all whom he saw.

LEG CUT OFF
The dead woman was struck with a blow that cleaved her skull. The little girl had a terrible wound in the leg and died from shock and loss of blood.

The three injured—whose lives are still in danger—were a woman, a young girl, and a little boy. The little boy's left leg was completely severed from just below the knee.

The amok was eventually overpowered by the Police, led by the Malay O.C.P.D., Che Shamsudin bin Haji Hamid, and the District Officer of Temerloh, Mr. W. C. S. Corry.

It was nine o'clock in the morning when this tragic episode occurred. The men were mostly at work in the padi fields or rubber holdings. Many women and children were out of doors and panic occurred when Abu Bakar burst among them. Those who could ran to their houses, but five bodies were lying mutilated before the demented man ran into his own home and bolted the doors and windows.

OFFICERS' COURAGE

A message to the Police Station at Mentakab brought the O.C.P.D. and Mr. Corry, with a posse of armed police. Mr. Corry carried a shot-gun.

Standing outside Abu Bakar's house, the District Officer called upon him to surrender. There was no answer. Further approach had to be made carefully. Abu Bakar was known to be armed with his parang and a long spear. Fortunately he did not possess a gun.

The police attacked the wall of the house with sticks and rifle butts and soon made a large enough aperture for the District Officer and the O.C.P.D. to gaze into the interior of the house. At first they could see nothing. Then, as their eyes grew more accustomed to the dim light, they saw Abu Bakar hiding in a large box containing padi.

At the same moment both men rushed forward and threw themselves on the crouching figure. Abu Bakar fought furiously, but had not space in which to use his parang and was soon overpowered.

SIX STROKES FOR CYCLIST

Singapore, Aug. 14.

"There are too many cycle offences these days. Let this be a lesson to others," said the Penang magistrate on Saturday in ordering a cyclist, a Chinese youth, six strokes of the rotan on a charge of riding his bicycle in a rash manner.

Mr. A. C. David the driver of a motorcar said about 1.30 p.m. on Aug. 9 he was driving his car along Jelutong Road from Balik Pulau when he saw the accused riding his cycle with an umbrella in one hand. It was raining at the time. The accused was riding on the wrong side of the road facing him. Suddenly he (the accused) lost his balance and fell a few yards in front of him. In trying to avoid hitting the cyclist witness's car collided with a lorry. The lorry driver corroborated this story.

He congratulated the men on their turn-out, and hoped that the corps would continue to flourish.

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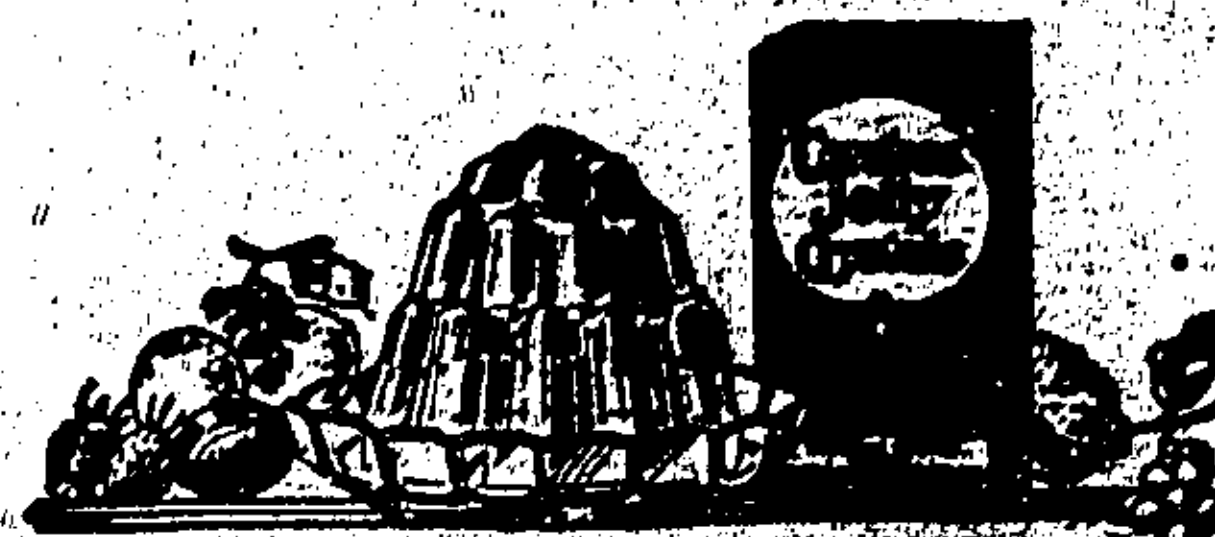
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JELLIED SUPPER RING

Dissolve 1 pkg. Lemon Gelatine in 2 cups boiling water. Chill in double depth tray. Fold in 1 cup leftover cooked ham, chicken, veal or pork; 1 cup sliced stuffed olives; 1 green pepper chopped (or any chopped leftover vegetables); 3 stalks celery, minced. Chill in wet ring mould or individual fancy moulds.

SALAD AND MEAT ENTREES

Tomato Aspic Salad Cubes
1 1/2 cups diced fresh tomato
1 1/2 cups celery, diced
1 1/2 cups shredded cabbage
1 carrot, grated
1 green pepper, chopped
2 tablespoons minced onion
2 tablespoons vinegar
1 cup chicken stock
1 envelope plain gelatine
1 teaspoon salt
1 teaspoon cayenne

Soak gelatine in stock; melt over hot water; add to other ingredients. Chill thoroughly in single tray with cube grid in position. Pile a few jellied cubes lightly on lettuce leaf; top with mayonnaise.

FROZEN STUFFED PEAR SALAD

Arrange halves of Bartlett pears in single freezing tray. Pour in as much chilled ginger ale as fruit will absorb. Fill pear hollows with cream or cottage cheese moistened with mayonnaise. Fill tray three-fourths full with ginger ale. Garnish pears with mint, cress, parsley or sliced cherries (red or green). Freeze. Serve 1 pear half frozen in its square of beverage on lettuce. (Cut between pears with knife and remove to salad plate). Serve at once to avoid melting.

PROPER COOKING

When meat is high it behooves every one of us to use every scrap of meat to get the utmost of food value.

The initial meat cost per pound is determined by supply and demand and naturally is out of control of the home-maker. But the cost of waste due to thoughtless cooking is the cook's responsibility.

Porterhouse steak is an example of thoughtless waste in many households because it seldom is cooked to give it its full value. Aside from the waste in bone and fat, the meat is usually overcooked and inedible.

HAS FINE FLAVOR

Yet it has a fine flavour and if properly cooked is just as desirable as the tenderloin.

Try trimming the meat from the fat and put this piece of lean "tail" meat through the food chopper twice. Season with 1 teaspoon salt and a few grains of pepper. Mix with a few dried bread crumbs and add one or two tablespoons milk. Stir lightly with a fork until thoroughly mixed and shaped in a small cake the thickness of the steak.

Fit the cake into the side of the steak where it came from and bring the fatty end of the tail around it. Run a skewer through the fat and meat cake into the loin of the steak to hold it securely. Broil as usual. Remove skewer after steak is on platter and before sending to the table.

BEFORE LAMB CHOPS

Rib lamb chops are cheaper than loin but they, too, may be served just as attractively if boned and rolled. Ask your butcher to French the chops for you. To do this he will scrape the meat from the bone. Then you can disjoint the rib from the bit of backbone and curl the meaty end back against the eye of the chop. Fasten with a skewer to keep it in shape during cooking. Broil as usual and remove skewer before serving.

COLOURFUL DESSERTS

SUNSET MOLD

1 package strawberry gelatin
1 1/2 cups warm water
1 cup canned pineapple juice
1 teaspoon salt
Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Add pineapple juice and salt. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with any desired canned or fresh fruit.

JEWEL CUP

1 package strawberry gelatin
1 package lemon gelatin
1 package lime gelatin
3 pints warm water
Dissolve each flavour of gelatin separately in 1 pint of water. Chill until firm. Break into flakes by beating lightly with rotary egg beater. Pile lightly in sherbet glasses, using some of each colour to give jewel effect.

EMERALD FRUIT CUP

1 package lime gelatin
1 pint warm water
2 cups mixed fruit, diced (apples, pears, peaches, cherries, etc.)
Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Turn into shallow pan. Chill until firm. Cut into small cubes. Combine with fruit. Pile into sherbet glasses, adding a small amount of fruit juice to each serving.

CARDINAL PEAR MOLD

1 package cherry gelatin
1 1/2 cups warm water
1 cup juice from cooked pears
1 teaspoon ginger
1 teaspoon salt
Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Add pear juice, ginger and salt. Turn into individual molds. Chill until firm. Unmold. Garnish with sections of pears.

GYPSY FRUIT MOLD

1 package orange gelatin
1 pint warm water
3 peaches, sliced
1 cup blueberries or raspberries
Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Pour a thin layer into loaf pan and chill until firm. Chill remaining gelatin until thickened. Arrange peaches on firm layer and cover with thickened gelatin. Chill until firm. Add berries and cover with remaining gelatin. Chill until firm. Unmold. Cut in slices.

APRICOT MOLD

1 package lemon gelatin
1 1/2 cups warm water
1 cup apricot juice
Dash of salt
2 1/2 cups canned apricots, sliced
Dissolve gelatin in warm water. Add apricot juice and salt. Chill until thickened. Fold in apricots. Turn into ring mold. Chill until firm. Unmold. Serve with or without whipped cream as a dessert. Or unmold on crisp lettuce, garnish with mayonnaise, and serve as salad.

SAUCE AND ITS USES

Favourite sauces, stored in covered jars in your refrigerator will glorify plain ice cream, custards, rice pudding, blanc mange, sponge cake, etc.

BUTTERCRUNCH SAUCE

Boil until thick 2 1/2 cups brown sugar, 1-1/3 cups corn or maple syrup and 8 tablespoons butter. Cool. Add 1-1/3 cups evaporated milk (or rich milk) gradually.

AMBER TOPPING

1 cup apricot pulp and 1/3 cup sugar cooked until thick then add 1 teaspoon lemon juice.

BITTERSWEET SAUCE

Heat to boiling point in double boiler 1/2 cup sugar, 1/2 cup cocoa, 1/2 cup grated chocolate, 1/3 cup milk and 1 teaspoon salt. Stir vigorously. Let boil 3 to 4 minutes. Remove; add 4 tablespoons butter; beat well. Cool; add 1 teaspoon vanilla. Delicious with mint ice cream.

BLACK BOTTOM SAUCE

Melt 8 squares bitter chocolate in double boiler; slowly add 1 cup

NEW RECIPES

Hot-Weather Appetites

Puzzled are you these hot days about what to have for luncheon, or dinner, or supper? Here are some easy-to-make recipes specially planned to tempt summer-time appetites without overtaxing the pocketbook. Maybe they'll help.

JELLIED TOMATO SOUP

Two cups canned tomatoes, 1 onion, 1 bay leaf, 1 tablespoon sugar, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon white pepper, 2 cups boiling water, or other, or any strained meat broth at hand, 2 tablespoons granulated gelatine, 1 cup cold water.
Put tomatoes, onion, bay leaf and sugar in sauce pan and cook twenty minutes. Strain and add broth. Season with salt and pepper and add gelatine which has been softened in cold water for five minutes. Stir until gelatine is thoroughly dissolved and pour into a square shallow pan which has been dipped in cold water. Let stand on ice for several hours or over night to chill and become firm. When ready to serve cut in small cubes or bread into pieces with a fork. Pile in chilled bouillon cups and garnish with paper-thin slices of lemon dipped in minced parsley. If you like whipped cream the bouillon may be garnished with slightly salted whipped cream sprinkled with minced parsley.

CHEESE ROLL

This roll is delectable for Sunday night supper with brown bread or toasted crackers. You may like it for simple evening refreshments with coffee.

One-half pound Philadelphia cream cheese, 4 tablespoons Roquefort cheese, 2 tablespoons finely minced olives, 1 tablespoon finely chopped green pepper, 1 minced canned pimiento, 1 tablespoon minced parsley, 1/2 teaspoon paprika, 4 tablespoons butter, 1/2 teaspoon Worcestershire sauce, 1 cup chopped nut meats.

One cup cottage cheese can be used in place of cream cheese. Mix all ingredients except nuts. Shape in a roll about 2 inches in diameter and roll in nuts. Chill for several hours and serve on a platter with a garnish of sprig of parsley.

STUFFED TOMATO ON TOAST

Four large ripe tomatoes, 1 cup cooked rice, 1 cup diced American cheese, 1 cup rich milk, 1/2 teaspoon salt, 1/2 teaspoon pepper, 4 rounds toast.

Scoop out inside of tomatoes and sprinkle with salt. Invert and let stand in refrigerator for half an hour. Fill with well seasoned rice and bake in a hot oven for thirty minutes. Arrange rounds of toast on a hot platter and put a tomato on each round. Add cheese to milk. Heat slowly over hot water until cheese is melted and season with salt and pepper. Pour around tomatoes and garnish with parsley.

water. Beat until smooth. Add 3 cups sugar and 1 1/2 cups corn syrup. Boil until it forms very soft ball. Remove. Add 3 cups evaporated milk (or very rich milk) and 1 tablespoon vanilla.

NUT-RAI SAUCE

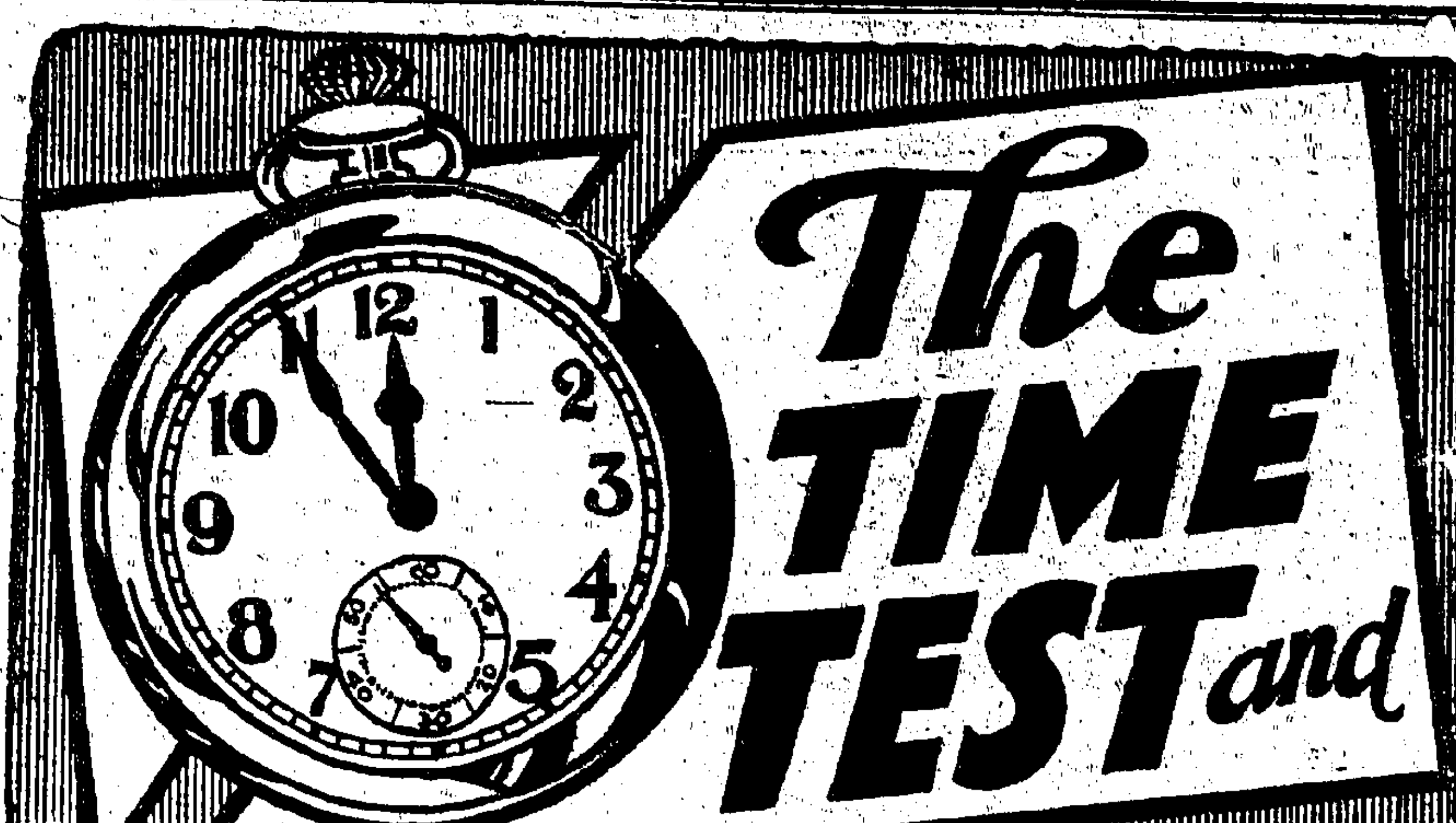
Cook 1 cup chopped seeded raisins, 1 1/2 cups water, 1 cup sugar and 1/2 teaspoon grated lemon peel for 15 minutes over low flame. Add 1 cup chopped pecans or walnuts.

MAPLE NUT SAUCE

Boil to soft ball stage 1 cup melted butter, 2 cups water, 1/2 cups syrup and 1/2 quart granulated sugar. Remove. Add 2 cups rich milk gradually. Cool. Add 2 tablespoons maple flavoring and 4 cups crushed nuts.

MINT-MAR TOPPING

Melt 1 lb. marshmallows in double boiler. Dissolve 1 cup powdered sugar in 1 cup boiling water. Combine mixtures slowly. Beat vigorously. Cool. Add mint flavoring to taste.



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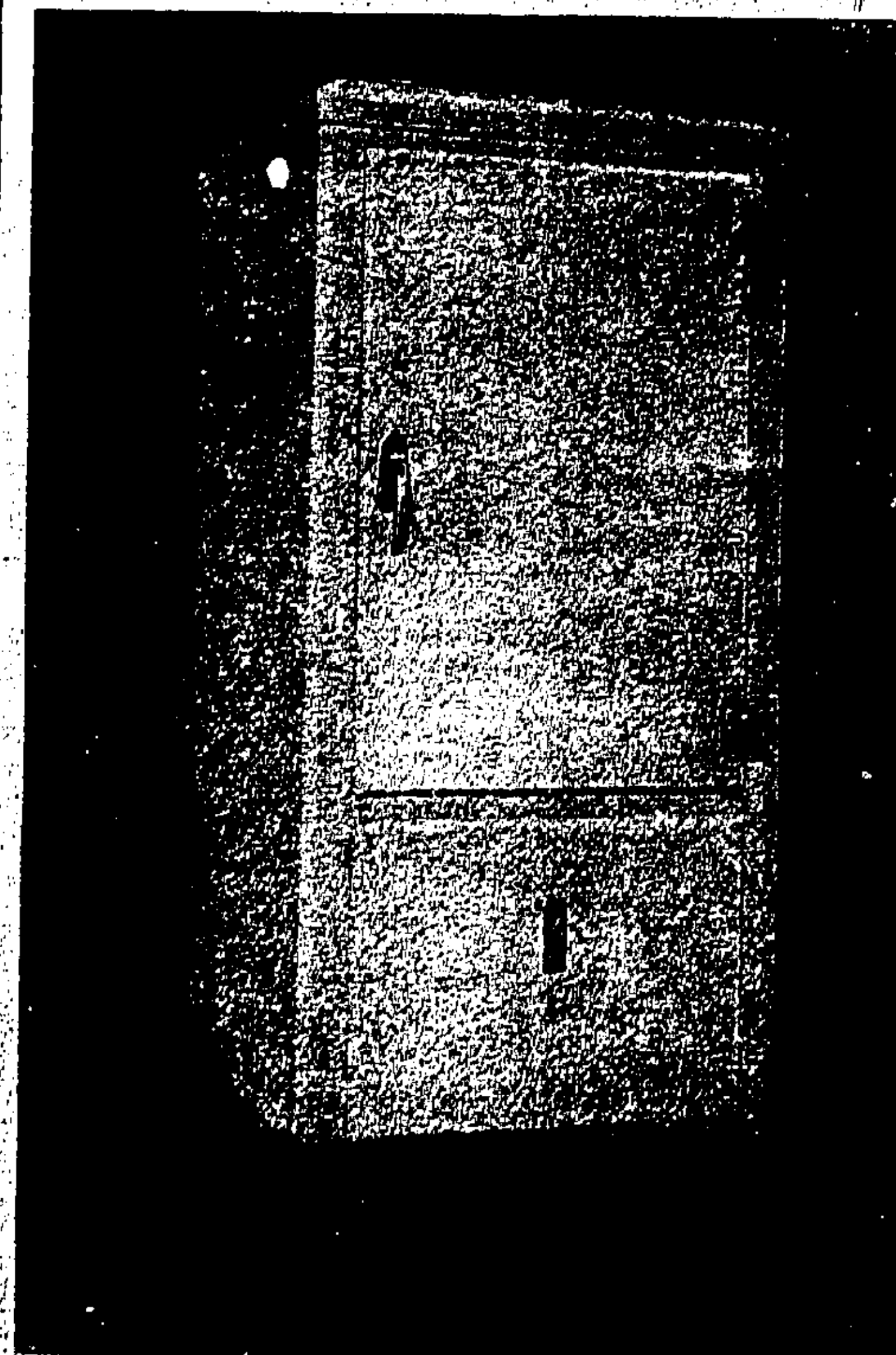
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10.30 p.m.—Close down.

ENGLISH GIRLS ARE TOUGH

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.
English girls can bear pain bet-
ter than Irish girls, according to
Judge Crawford, at Bow County
yesterday.

He was dealing with a case in
which Mary O'Grady, age thirty-
two, a barmaid-waitress, was
stated to have suffered pain fol-
lowing the amputation of a finger.

The Judge referred to the "highly
nervous temperament" of Miss
O'Grady, and added: "She is a
typical Irish girl, who is probably
more nervous than an ordinary
English girl, and therefore, more
likely to be affected by trouble of
this kind, not being able to bear
so much pain as the more sub-

born kind of Saxon girl."

Miss O'Grady, who comes from
Rossmore, Balineen, Co. Cork,
sought an award under the Work-
men's Compensation Act against
Mrs. Olive Naylor, licensee of the
Millwall Dock Hotel, West Ferry-
road, E.

She cut her finger with a bread
knife at the hotel, and later had
two joints of the finger amputated.
Afterwards she could not work
owing to the stump.

The Judge made an award of
18s. 9d. a week to be increased to
21s. 9d. a week if respondent
gave up providing her with free
board and lodging.

FOR VISCOUNT WAKEFIELD

City Of London
Freedom

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.

The Honorary Freedom of the
City of London was bestowed at
Guildhall, yesterday, on Viscount
Wakefield.

It was a unique occasion. No
member of the Corporation had
been so honoured by his colleagues
before.

The resolution of the Court of
Common Council, carried with
acclamation, epitomised the rea-
sons for the innovation as

"In testimony of the esteem
and admiration of the Court, and
in recognition of his Lordship's
sympathetic and practical support
and encouragement of young and
chivalrous endeavour in the
spheres of science and sport and

"Also of his large-hearted chari-
ty towards the young and needy,
and his devotion of wealth, mind
and influence to the alleviation of
human suffering."

"HAND OF FELLOWSHIP"

The great hall was filled. The
Lord Mayor, Sir Stephen Killik,
received Lord and Lady Wakefield
on a scarlet-draped dais decorat-
ed with flowers and ferns. The
Lord Mayor, Aldermen and
Sheriffs were in their scarlet
gowns, Common Councilmen in
fur-edged mazarine, and the offi-
cials in black.

Mr. A. T. Roach, the new Town
Clerk, read the order of the Court,
and Sir Adrian Pollock, City
Chamberlain, presented Lord
Wakefield with the order "in a
gold box. He stated there had
been numerous ceremonies of that
kind in the ancient Guildhall, but
this was the first occasion "when
the Corporation had offered the
greatest honour in their gift to
one of their own sons."

Addressing Lord Wakefield, Sir
Adrian said:

"It is now my duty, as it is a
very special pleasure, to greet you
as an Honorary Citizen of no
mean city, and once again to
offer you the right hand of
fellowship."

"The Lord Mayor and members
of the Corporation have unani-
mously voted this accolade and have
requested me to beg your accept-
ance of it in the hope that it will
be for you an enduring symbol of
their abiding admiration, gratitude
and affection."

"MY FIRST OF FRIENDS"

Lord Wakefield, returning
thanks, said that on that great
day of his life he rejoiced in the
companionship of his dear wife
who had been the first of friends
and most faithful of counsellors.
Whatever success had been vouch-
safed to him he owed in largest
measure to her.

The Lord Mayor and Lady
Mayoresse later entertained a
numerous company at luncheon
at the Mansion House.

Lord Wakefield, responding, to
the toast of his health, proposed
by the Lord Mayor, expressed his
gratitude to all those with whom
it had been his privilege to serve
in various capacities. They were
a united family in the City,
deeply devoted to a great institu-
tion.

He then presented the historic
Brass Crosby Cup to the Mansion
House collection of plate.

MR. MACDONALD'S TRIBUTE
Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, res-
ponding for "The Guests," said
that in Lord Wakefield they knew
they had a man whose private
and public life was the same, a
man honoured by his generation
and whose memory would be re-
vered. His public service was
characteristic of the City of Lon-
don and his private service had
been blessed throughout the Em-
pire.

The toast of "The Lord Mayor
and Lady Mayoresse" was proposed
by Lord Rochester.

GLASGOW TO BE BIGGER

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 5.

Glasgow Corporation yesterday
approved a motion by Treasurer
P. J. Dollan "That it be remitted
to a special committee to consider
the expediency of extending the
boundaries of the city."

This is the first step in the effort
by the Corporation to incorporate
into the city those sections of the
adjacent counties favoured by modern
building development, and
where a large section of people
employed in Glasgow now dwell.

The Labour Party have had such
a scheme in mind for some time
as may be gathered from the fact
that Treasurer Dollan's motion
was dated October 24, 1934.

AIR EXERCISES

Valuable Tests In
Detection

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, July 30.

The raids made by bomber units
in the Air Exercises were again
helped by the weather. Haze at
high altitude made the bombers
difficult to distinguish from the
ground, but made little difference
to the visibility from the air. There
was much less doubt in the minds
of onlookers than there had been
on Monday evening as to the ef-
fectiveness of the defence, for
whenever a bomber squadron could
be sighted, as the sun was reflected
from wings and cowings, a party
of fighters could generally be dis-
cerned also within machine-gun
range or in pursuit.

It may now be declared with
some confidence that the defence
has been less hampered by weather
conditions than might have been
supposed. The cloud screen of Mon-
day evening did not immobilize
the fighters. It afforded, in fact,
proof of a new and remarkably
efficient cooperation between the
observers and the fighters. It like-
wise set the seal of approval on the
new system of fighter patrols on
duty by day. It is probably not
an exaggeration to conclude that
if there had been no fighter patrols
on Monday evening there would
have been no interceptions; yet the
day patrols were not instituted in
the first place for this sort of duty.

"OBSERVERS' HANDICAP"

They were invented with the ob-
ject of allowing some of the fight-
ers to make their climbs before
raids are reported and so to be
ready at operational height to get
on to the appropriate courses the
moment the track of the raiders
can be worked out from successive
observers' reports. Conditions on
Monday night presented the fighter
patrols with a new situation to the
significance of which they reacted
immediately. The situation arose
out of the fact that hardly any
observers could see an aeroplane
The cloud screen was almost com-
plete, and the observers at their
posts in fields and on hilltops had
to rely on hearing to discover the
raiders, to estimate their height,
and to measure their course. The
information they could supply was
therefore a little less precise than
usual, but it was a nearly accu-
rate as to afford a fair guide.

The completion of the observers'
task had thus to be undertaken by
the fighter patrols. These were on
duty in flights above the clouds,
each flight being spread out to
cover a wide area. Such informa-
tion as the observers yielded was
transmitted to them by wireless
telephony and served to transform
their patrol from the idle occupa-
tion of a beat into the keeping of
a look-out on a broad directional
bearing. Above the clouds visi-
bility was good, and the watching of
particular wide corridors indicated
by the observers was fruitful, so
that fighter patrols, set on the
right line by the observers, eventu-
ally completed the work of the
observers by reporting the size of
raids and the precise line they
were taking.

INTERCEPTED RAIDERS

The results were surprising.
Four flights out of six which came
towards London on a round-about
course from Norfolk were inter-
cepted, and two squadrons which
came on other courses were met by
fighters and engaged. Only three
raids got through to their target,
unopposed. It is not, of course,
to be concluded that any of these
raids could have been wholly frus-
trated. That is not practically
within the power of the fighters.
Some might be turned back if
things were made too hot for them,
but the fighters are more likely to
rely on making casualties in the
very raid in the hope that the to-
tal casualties might represent 100
per cent. of the raiding strength
within a fortnight or three weeks,
while the bombers of the home de-
fence force would do as much de-
struction as possible on enemy aero-
dromes.

The patrol experiment would ap-
pear to have justified itself. In
clear as well as thick weather it has
given good results. Yesterday
morning fog in Oxfordshire caused
four raids to be abandoned. Four
raiders from other districts made
their way to London targets, but
three of them were caught by the
fighters before they reached their
objectives and the fourth was en-
gaged as it went out. In all cases
the object of taking toll of the
raiders may be assumed to have
been achieved.

The weather of Monday night
was evidently not such a boon to
the night bombers as, from the
ground, it seemed likely to be. Of
the 42 raids planned for the hours
of darkness, 10 turned back or
failed to reach their objectives on
account of clouds, which were gen-
erally between 2,000 ft. and 3,000 ft.
The observers, who remained on
night duty evidently found them-
selves in difficulties when the raids

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That is the belief of charming, graceful and lovely-framed Frances Drake who is now appearing on the screen of the King's Theatre in the leading feminine role of Universal's new film, "Transient Lady." As Miss Drake is one of the most graceful women in Hollywood, and as physical culture experts declare her figure is perfect, one is a bit inclined to think that she knows what she is talking about.

"Swimming is the finest exercise I know of for women. You use every muscle in your body while swimming. The exercise seems to cause your muscles to develop a hardness, but not a bunched hardness. The muscles become rippling and flexible, like those of a well bred race horse. Most people do not realize it, but swimming is marvelous for the lungs. You have to breathe properly, and that develops the chest. You have to use your feet and legs, and that develops them. Naturally, your arms come into play and they are developed. Your back and stomach muscles all come into play, too, in this exercise. Every muscle in the body works with a beautiful co-ordination in swimming.

That is why it makes you, shape-ly.

"For developing poise there is nothing quite the equal of dancing. If you do not believe this, just watch any professional dancer as she, or he, walk across the room. There is a grace there you do not see in anyone who does not dance. There is poise that cannot be acquired in any other way. By dancing I mean ball room dancing, naturally not the buck and wing style."

In addition to Miss Drake we find Gene Raymond, Henry Hull and

COUNTESS OF MONTE CRISTO

"The Countess of Monte Cristo," elusive mythical creature, sought by the Continental police, was checked and double-checked and certified okay by more than half a dozen technical directors in the Universal studios. This gay European tale opens next Sunday at the King's Theatre.

The story, dealing with the exploits of a little film extra girl who rides out of scene and studio, goes to an exclusive hotel and poses as a countess, features a lavish and spectacular New Year's Eve party, for which more than 300 "bit" and "atmosphere" people were used. Every detail had to be perfect and director Karl Freund, himself a continentalist and a stickler for authenticity, brought in a group of European technical experts; each to supervise a particular scene. In that way Freund accomplished what he wanted; the correct and proper appearance and action of things.

A grand stairway, used in the resort scene, was especially built at a cost of several thousands of dollars, while the lighting and other effects were even more costly. Some unusual European back-grounds and panoramas, taken at a great cost, lend a charming foreign spirit to the picture, while many outdoor shots, taken at night were particularly difficult and exacting.

Fay Wray and Paul Lukas head a distinguished cast in "Countess of Monte Cristo," which includes Patsy Kelly, Reginald Owen, Paul Page, Carmel Myers, Robert McWade, John Sheehan and others of importance.

June Clayworth in the featured roles of "Transient Lady," which is the film version of the famous Liberty magazine story by Octavus Roy Cohen. It was directed by Edward Buzzell.

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THE DOORLAY GIRLS

Delight Hong Kong

The large number of people who turned up at the King's Theatre yesterday at the "Non-Stop" Revue performances were not disappointed by the fare served. In fact such entertainment, on the scale as was offered, has never been seen before in Hong Kong.

The many acts, dances, short sketches, interspersed in a programme of over 70 items, were all well received and the audience were not slow in showing their appreciation.

The outstanding act on the programme offered yesterday was the act in which a number of the "Doorlay" girls occupied the stage in a semi circle. Each of them was provided with a string of musical bells of different tones, and several well-known classical tunes were rendered.

Daring acrobatics in the form of looping the loop, gymnastic balances, the like of which had never been before seen locally, were also presented. Special mention must be made of the naval display rendered by the "Doorlay" chorus.

Fred Gordon, the famous cowboy entertained with some clever lassoing work, and considering the crowded state of the stage the display was very spectacular.

The laugh turns of the evening were left to Versay, an eccentric comedian and dancer who kept the audience amused and his every turn was greeted with rounds of applause.

Due credit must be given to Miss Ruth Hasse, who gave a spectacular and daring turn of riding a bicycle in an enclosed wheel, which called for not only stamina but expert calculation.

Those who have not yet seen the show should not on any account, miss it as the "Non-stop Revue" are an excellent company—"Redeem."

PURSUED

At The Alhambra

Enacted amidst the colourful surroundings of a copra plantation in the Dutch East Indies "Pursued" a love drama of the tropics, packed with thrills, opened at Alhambra Theatre yesterday. In the cast are Rosemary Ames, Victor Jory, Pert Kelton and Russell Hardie, with George Irving and Torben Meyer in support.

"Pursued" tells of the romance of a lovely cafe entertainer and a man who goes to Borneo to take charge of a plantation. A scheming and jealous half-caste, the role played by Jory, provides the barrier in the course of true love.

As the girl to whom romance comes, down under the southern Cross, Miss Ames is superb. Her characterization is not only distinctly different from her previous roles, but reveals that the actress possesses a rich singing voice.

The scenes in the picture are well equal to the real scenes of the South Seas which are so much lacking in other films.

The picture is full of intrigues and appetizing adventure and is delightful—"Choppy".

CHINA'S DRUG PROBLEM

Since the introduction, a little more than a year ago of drastic regulations providing for capital punishment in the case of traffickers in narcotic drugs, as well as in the case of incorrigible addicts, nearly three hundred persons of both sexes have been executed throughout China. As a further earnest of Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek's determination to stamp out the traffic within the next two years, supplementary regulations have been issued by the military authorities to the effect that all persons found using narcotics in 1937 shall be sentenced either to death or to imprisonment for life.

There can be no doubting the seriousness with which the problem is being tackled in China. Officials convicted of complicity in the traffic have not been spared; a Chinese general caught using a Government aeroplane to smuggle opium in Hunan was shot out of hand. In Peking the executions, totalling about thirty to date, have included two police officials who were found dealing in heroin. Most of the traffickers have been small peddlars, but occasionally a triton has appeared among the minnows. One notable capture was Hsueh Yi-tze, the so-called "Drug King of North China," who was arrested last winter on the charge of engaging in the manufacture and sale of drugs in the three provinces of Honan, Hopei, and Shansi. Hsueh, who was reputed to have amassed a fortune ranging anywhere from 500,000 to 1,000,000 dollars, admitted that he had formerly been engaged in the traffic, but argued that he had retired from the business before the present regulations were brought into effect. The Generalissimo refused to entertain any appeal for clemency, however, and last April Hsueh was executed by the Peking police and his property confiscated.

HARSHNESS TOWARDS ADDICTS

Public opinion is behind the authorities in their drastic handling of traffickers, but humanitarians have been appalled at the apparent harshness of the treatment meted out to drug addicts who, having resumed the habit after discharge from one of the Government treatment centres, have in consequence been executed. The latest regulations provide that all drug addicts shall voluntarily report to the authorities for treatment before the end of 1935, and those who fail to do so shall be taken to a treatment centre by force. Those who voluntarily report and are found using narcotic drugs after treatment will be liable to at least five years' imprisonment; those who have been taken to the treatment centres by force and relapse will receive the death penalty. Next year, all persons found guilty of using narcotics will be given a minimum of five years' imprisonment after treatment, and in 1937 death or life imprisonment will be the only alternatives for drug-users.

More than 600 treatment centres for drug addicts have been established throughout the country; one of the best of them is to be found in Peking. This institution came into being last autumn as the result of a peremptory order from Generalissimo Chiang Kai-shek directing that a clinic for the treatment of drug addicts be started within three weeks. No public funds were available, yet it was clear that the Generalissimo expected speedy results. As a first step a levy of half-a-month's salary was made upon all municipal officials. This yielded a sum

of \$25,000, to which were shortly added pledges totalling \$140,000 following a campaign initiated by the Mayor amongst prominent business men and public-spirited citizens of Peking. Additional funds have come from the sale of property confiscated from drug traffickers, no less than \$40,000 having been obtained from this source in one instance.

THE PEKING CLINIC

The Peking treatment centre is really a hospital, and it has accommodation for 850 patients. Admissions since its establishment last September have totalled 5,550, of whom 4,777 were males and 773 females. Amongst this number there were 23 deaths. The staff comprises seven qualified doctors, eight qualified nurses, 35 attendants, and 60 coolies. According to Dr. L. C. Fang, head of the Public Health Department of the municipal Government, who is in general charge of the hospital, the cost of treatment works out at between \$5 and \$7 per head for a course which formerly took from two to three weeks but now has been extended to a month.

When a man is first admitted he is not given any medicine until he asks for it, the object being to distinguish the habitual addicts from those who may be only slightly addicted and to provide against the possibility that the police may occasionally round up a non-addict by mistake. Hardened addicts will invariably demand medicine, however, and then as a rule they are given varying doses of "Scheileth mixture." This preparation contains "dionin," which is a narcotic and a constituent of opium but does not easily cause addiction.

GLIDER CRASH AT AIR DISPLAY

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, August 21.
Mr. George Eric Collins, of Cambridge, holder of the British long-distance gliding record, was killed yesterday at Ramsey, Huntingdonshire, when taking part in a display by Sir Alan Cobham's air circus.

According to a witness of the accident, the glider was towed to a height of about 2,000ft. and the tow rope slipped. The glider circled on its own; then it seemed as if a wing came off, and the glider fell to the ground. Another witness of the accident, Mrs. Setchell, postmistress at Ramsey Heights, said that the glider did two loops and straightened up; then a wing came off.

A Correspondent writes:—
Mr. Collins, who had been with the Alan Cobham circus only a few weeks, was perhaps the most brilliant of British glider pilots and was expected to return to the Dunstable gliding site of the London Club to serve as chief instructor at the camp which is to open there to-morrow. Last year he secured two British records, one for distance with a flight of 90 miles from Dunstable to Holkham Bay, Norfolk, and the other for distance with a passenger. In the latter case he flew from Dunstable to Chelmsford, a distance of 45 miles. Both these records remain unbroken in this country. Collins had made an intensive study of meteorology in its relation to gliding and was recognized by pilots abroad as one of the finest glider pilots. He was born in Cambridge about 26 years ago. He leaves a wife but no children. Arrangements have been made for the camp of the London Gliding Club to be held at Ramsey, the loss of Mr. Collins.

TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

Hong Kong

KING'S:—
"Tropical Express Non-Stop Revue"
"Transient Lady"
QUEEN'S:—
"One New York Night"
ORIENTAL:—
"Silk Express"

Kowloon

ALHAMBRA:—
"Pursued"
MAJESTIC:—
"Red Morning"

Coming

KING'S:—
"Count of Monte Cristo"
QUEEN'S:—
"Paris In Spring"
ALHAMBRA:—
"Black Sheep"
ORIENTAL:—
"The Mayor of Hell"

NEW CONSTITUTION PROBLEM

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, August 21.
It was agreed that consideration of the draft of the new constitution be postponed at a quarterly communication of the Grand Lodge of Scotland held in St. Cuthbert's hall, Edinburgh, yesterday—Lord Saltoun, Grand Master, presiding. The Grand Master referred to the death of Lord Amphil, Pro Grand Master of England and an Honorary Member of the Grand Lodge of Scotland, and moved that an expression of sorrow at his passing and sympathy with Lady Amphil and her family be recorded in the minutes and that letters of condolence be sent.

The Grand Master moved that, in view of the large number and nature of amendments which have been lodged with the Grand Secretary, consideration of the draft constitution and laws as tabled and amendments lodged should be deferred until a pro rata meeting of Grand Lodge was held on October 17.

EDINBURGH MEMBERS AMENDMENT

Brother George King, Edinburgh, submitted an amendment to the effect that a special committee be appointed to deal with the whole matter, consisting of 13 members, of whom seven should be members of Grand Committee and six from the floor of the house. Brother Alexander Walker, Glasgow, moved as an amendment that the whole matter be taken back for further consideration and that a new draft of the constitution and laws be submitted at a special meeting of Grand Lodge to be held not earlier than February 1, 1937, of which at least one month's previous notice be sent to the members of Grand Lodge.

On a vote, Brother Walker's amendment was carried by a large majority. A charter was granted to Lodge Fish Hook Fish Hook, Western Province of the Cape of Good Hope.

OLD SCOTTISH CUSTOMS

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug 21.
Loch Earn, the holiday resort in the remote fastnesses of Perthshire, chosen by Queen Wilhelmina and Princess Juliana, is, like almost any other place that may be named in the Highlands, a scene of great beauty associated with a series of sanguinary episodes in clan history.

Not far from the hotel where the Royal visitors will stay (shown in my picture) is a small islet composed of stone heaps. These are said to be the ruins of a Neolithic fortress which was destroyed by the MTNabs.

South of the loch is Ardvorlich, where Macgregors murdered the king's forester, Stewart, in 1589, and placed his head upon a dish with a crust between the teeth, to present it to his sister. Near at hand is a stone recording that the bodies of 22 Macgregors of Glencoe, who tried to "harry" Ardvorlich, are buried there. But these legends have long faded from men's minds, while the beauty of the Highlands becomes year by year a more accessible pleasure.

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DREAM COMES TRUE

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 21.
London saw the Hales Trophy for the blue ribbon of the Atlantic crossing for the first time yesterday, when it was exhibited in a West End office.

Presented by Mr. Harold K. Hales, M. P. for Hanley, Stoke-on-Trent, the trophy is of solid silver heavily gilded and is about 4 feet high and stands on an onyx base.

Finely modelled figures uphold a globe, on the top of which other figures, symbolic of speed over-taking the forces of the Atlantic. The trophy symbolises the evolution of the sailing ship to the present-day fast Atlantic vessel.

The trophy is to be presented to the owners of the seaship Rex in Genoa on August 22, and then it will be transferred to the Normandie.

Mr. Hales told a reporter that the trophy represented a 40 years' dream come true.

"I have been tortured on innumerable occasions," he added, "fearing that someone else would donate such a trophy. Before I died I wanted to leave something symbolic of the evolution of modern transport."

"For many years I disciplined myself to save the money to make this trophy possible."

On the Unlimited Express

"Did you see about the man who was riding on the sleeper? The weather was very warm, and the window being open, he put one foot out of the window to get cooled off, and fell asleep. When he awoke in the morning he noticed his foot seemed heavy, and no wonder: there were three mail bags and a red lantern hanging on it."

Turn About

Man (to neighbour): "I wish you would sell that dog. Yesterday, my daughter had to stop her singing because your dog was whining all the time."

Neighbour: "I'm sorry, but your daughter started it."

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"BIRD OF PARADISE"

Who hasn't dreamed of "going native"? Or, of fleeing away to some verdant tropical isle, where the sun always shines and the breezes are balmy?

This is the kind of island, and the kind of life pictured by "Bird of Paradise," the RKO-Radio production with Dolores Del Rio and Joel McCrea at the Star Theatre.

Once nearly every island in the South Pacific offered this sort of an existence. The record presented by the photoplay is about all that's left, according to King Vidor who produced the film.

"In making 'Bird of Paradise,'" says Vidor, "we have dramatized the average man's dream and his desire to escape from the complexities of civilization. A picture like this is as near as the great majority will ever come to realizing the dream."

The hula, as it was danced before civilization brought censors to Hawaii, is seen in "Bird of Paradise."

The primitive rites of the sacred marriage feast, and its daring mating dance, as traditional in Hawaii, are vividly pictured in "Bird of Paradise." King Vidor's spectacular production for RKO-Radio Pictures.

ONE NEW-YORK NIGHT

Those who get a kick out of excitement in their film entertainment will find plenty of it in the new Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer mystery-comedy, "One New York Night" playing at the Queen's Theatre to-day.

With Franchot Tone playing the role of a Wyoming rancher who comes to New York to find a wife and is precipitated into a murder mystery which happens in the hotel room adjoining his own, the story progresses from one reel to the other with uninterrupted action building up to a smash climax and final denouement.

Conrad Nagel is the "bad man" of the plot, and with Una Merkel as the telephone operator, audiences can be assured that there are plenty of laughs switched in between suspense and excitement.

Incidentally, this is one picture where Una gets "her man" in the end.

The Stipulation

A Negro soldier was detailed to a labour job in the air service. Asked by a friend whether he intended to do any actual flying, he replied: "Ah doesn't care how high Ah goes in de air so long as Ah keeps one foot on de ground."

AROUND THE COURTS

POSSESSION OF OPIUM

Before Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday three brothers Kwok Kam-Tai aged 18, Kwok Kam-Sing aged 18, and Kwok Kam-An aged 15 were charged with the possession of 700 taels of raw opium valued at \$1,400 on a junk at Kennedy Town on August 19 last.

C. P. O. Butler prosecuted and Mr. C. E. R. Sanderson appeared for the three defendants.

Mr. Sanderson stated that he advised the first defendant to plead guilty to the charge and added that he understood that the prosecution was not pressing the charge against the other two defendants. He asked his Worship not to confiscate the junk as it was the men's only means of livelihood and also that their old and paralysed mother lived on the boat. If the junk was confiscated they would not have any means of earning a living.

C. P. O. Butler replied that in view of the youth of the second and third defendants he would accept the plea of the defence but asked his Worship to warn the defendants against a repetition of the same offence. His Worship warned them that in a repetition of the offence the junk would not be treated so leniently. The second and third defendants were discharged accordingly.

C. P. O. Butler in outlining the case stated that the opium was actually hidden in the water in a tin sealed and covered with sack and secured to the junk by ropes. There were also iron weights under the tin for keeping the tins under water. When the R.O.'s boarded the junk the first defendant tried to break the rope.

The first defendant said he was asked to take the opium from Aberdeen to Kennedy Town by a man who would pay him \$5.00.

His Worship fined the defendant \$5,000 or in default one year's hard labour the opium and all the gear on the junk were confiscated. The junk was restored with the license book to the second and third defendants.

PICKPOCKET ALLEGED

Mr. Thomson, at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon, discharged Lee Wing (39) who appeared before him charged with stealing from the person of Tsang Lin, a widow on August 18, an envelope containing \$1.00 whilst she was travelling on bus No. 809 in Ma Tau Wai Road, near the Bailey shipyard.

Mr. C. E. Lowe appeared for the defence, while Sergt. Nolan prosecuted.

The facts of the case were that the complainant boarded the bus on August 18, which was travelling from Kowloon City to Sham Shui Po. At the next bus stop, defendant boarded the bus, and while it was passing the Bailey shipyard defendant alighted from the vehicle.

Complainant at that time, felt her pocket and discovered that the one dollar was missing and that her pocket had been cut, so she lost no time in getting off the bus, whereupon she accused the defendant with the theft of her money.

After evidence had been taken from a number of witnesses, and defendant had stated his side of the story, the Magistrate discharged him on the grounds of insufficient evidence.

MUI-TSAI CASES

A fine of \$50 was imposed on Wong Chin Hing a married woman by Mr. W. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday when convicted of failing to report an unregistered mul-tai.

Defendant said that the child was well treated and had been presented to her as part of her wedding gift.

Sub. Insp. O'Connor, appearing for the prosecution, said the child had been well treated, but she was under age to be working and she would be, therefore, sent to the Victoria Home for Children.

Mak Oi, 49, a sewing amah, was fined \$5 by Mr. Schofield for failing to report an unregistered mul-tai.

Defendant stated that the child's former employer had died and she was left in charge of it. Sub. Insp. O'Connor stated that defendant was too poor to keep the child and it would also be sent to the Victoria Home.

LARCENY CHARGE FAILS

"Do not undertake a prosecution of this sort again until you have gone into all the facts", thus spoke the Kowloon Magistrate Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones, to Woo Kum Cheun, a money changer at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday afternoon, where he appeared as the complainant in a case in which Wong Cheung (27), an accountant of the Wing Loong money changer's shop of No. 329 Shanghai Street, was charged with larceny by person of \$474 on diverse dates between March and July of this year.

And turning to complainant's son, Woo Kim Cheun, the Magistrate said, "You, young man, when you borrow from your father, do so with his permission, and do not hide behind some one else. You have very nearly been jailed."

Complainant in evidence said that on July 8 the sum of \$476.20 was discovered to be unaccounted for by the defendant. This alarming state of affairs was discovered by his (witness) wife (who subsequently died before she was able to testify against the culprit).

Defendant in his (witness) presence said in answer to her accusation "I have not 'sal' (spent or used) as much as that (\$476.20) but I have 'sal' \$410."

Asked where the money had gone, defendant replied "I have got the money alright, as my friend has borrowed the money from me."

Woo Kum Cheun (25) son of the complainant admitted that he had borrowed "a little over \$50 from the shop" which he took from defendant, although he also was an accountant employed in the jewellery department of his father's concern.

When asked by the Bench as to the reason why he had adopted this procedure witness said "There were no small notes."

His Worship: In fact you were afraid you would get caught in your own shop.—Yes.

Have you borrowed before?—Yes. Have you confessed that to your father? Witness replied that he had confessed on a previous occasion of borrowing a sum of approximately \$300.

You therefore confessed, that you have taken this money, through this man (defendant)—Yes.

Wong Cheung electing to give his evidence from the witness box, said that when accused of the offence by his master he replied "I have not stolen the money, but have lost in business."

In a conversation later with complainant's son, witness said to the latter "I have lost \$385 in the business, but you have got \$50 odd from me". To this his master's son replied "Even if you are charged with stealing the money, admit it, so as to keep his temper down!"

In discharging the defendant, the Magistrate said that it was a case of amazing stupidity on the part of the defendant, and "amazing rascality" on the part of complainant's son.

Mr. J. M. d'Almada Remedios was for the defendant.

UNSTAMPED RECEIPTS

Several cases of issuing unstamped receipts were heard before Mr. W. Schofield yesterday at the Central Magistracy when fines were imposed in each case.

Lai Chi-kung, of the Keung Wo Shop, No. 23 Graham Street, was charged with splitting an account of \$28.40 by giving a receipt for \$18 on March 16.

A fine of \$4 was imposed. Wing Chap-sing, of 24 Des Voeux Road West, 2nd floor was charged with issuing an unstamped receipt to Li Fung of No. 7 H'li Road for \$133.83.

Defendant was fined \$10. Chow Lien, of No. 1 On Tai Tai Street, 2nd floor, was fined \$10 for failing to stamp a receipt for \$44 to Chun Heung of No. 41 Jardine Bazaar.

Sergt. Whitcroft prosecuted.

With a previous conviction for a similar offence, Tam Yee, 29 unemployed, was bound over by Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday when he pleaded guilty to the possession of 80 cartons of tins of matches at Wanchai Gap Road. Sergeant Bill prosecuted.

STOLE TO HELP SON

The story of a mother who stooped to thefts in order to enable her son to look for employment was related to Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday when Lo See, 56 amah and Chan Chit, 30, unemployed were charged with the theft of and receiving three pairs of trousers respectively.

Prosecuting, Inspector Shannon said that the first defendant is the mother of the second. The first defendant was employed at No. 442 Nathan Road and on Tuesday at about 7.30 p.m. while a detective was going his rounds of the pawnshops he came across the second defendant trying to pawn the trousers. Questioned he brought the detective to his mother.

When charged, second accused stated that he went to see his mother yesterday to get some money from her so that he could cross the harbour to get work, and he was given the trousers to pawn. Defendant did not know they did not belong to his mother and that they had been stolen.

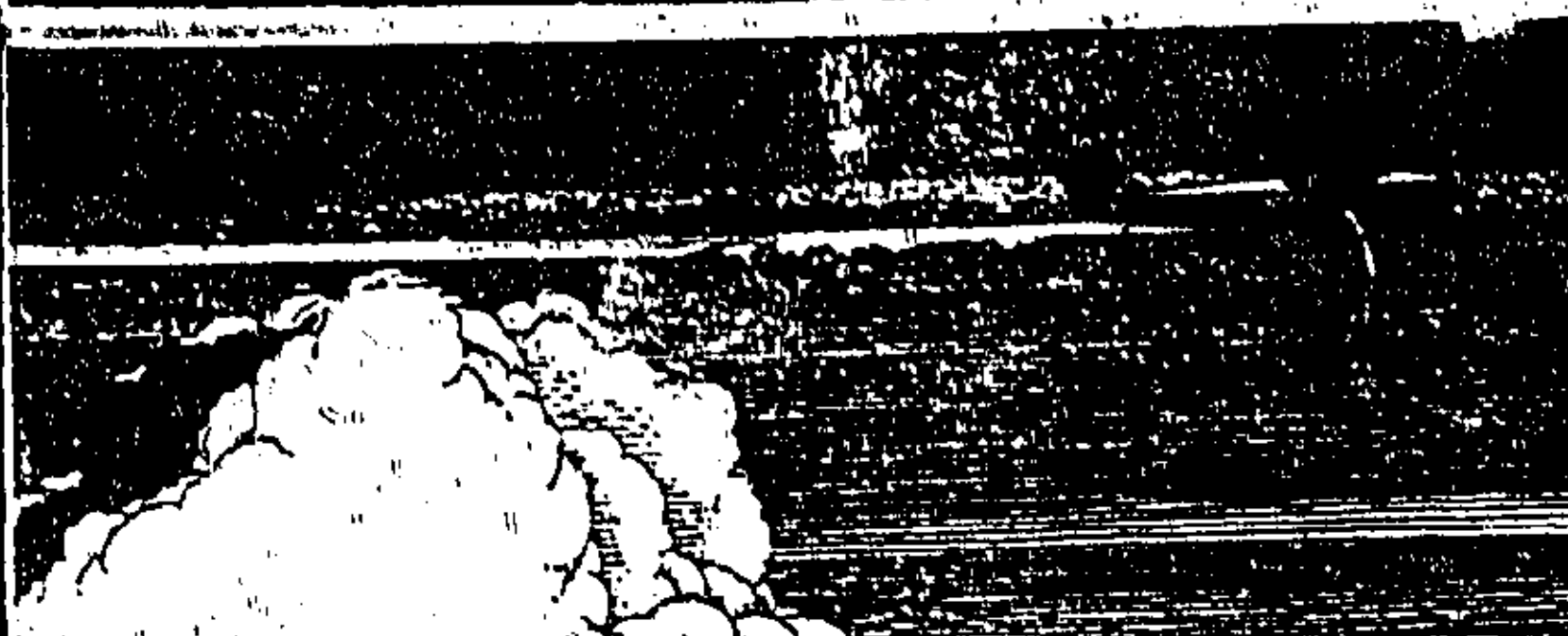
Asked why she had committed the theft, first defendant stated that she had received many advances from her mistress and when her son came to her for money she did not like to approach her mistress again, so she took the trousers, for her son to pawn, but she told him to be sure to redeem them the same afternoon.

"I did not know that it was a serious offence, or I would not have done it," concluded defendant.

First defendant was bound over in the sum of \$25 to come up for judgment within six months, and second accused was discharged.

Sentence of six weeks' hard labour was passed upon Chan Chiu Tak, 38, unemployed, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday to a charge of having burgled No. 72 Canton Road, ground floor, and having stolen 63 packets of cigarettes, the property of a woman named Shum Mui, Detective-Sergeant Davies stated that about 5.30 a.m. on Tuesday defendant was seen by a Chinese detective and the cigarettes were found tied in his sleeve. He admitted having stolen them. When questioned by the police, complainant stated that the cigarettes were stolen on the night of August 19 but she did not make a report to the police.

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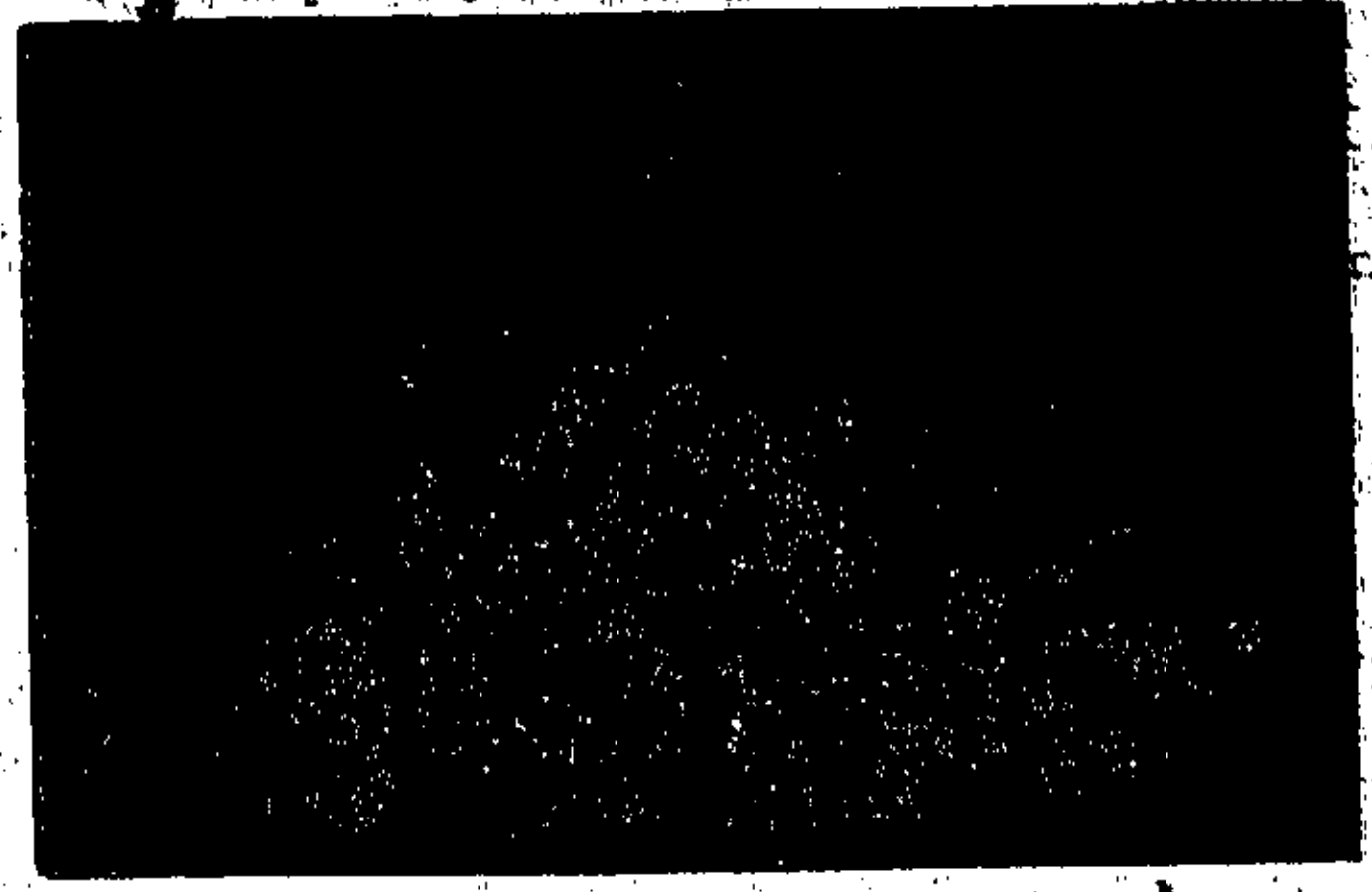
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SILVER JUBILEE

Final Meeting

At the Final Meeting of the Silver Jubilee Committee held on Monday in the Council Chamber, Sir Thomas Southern who presided made reference to the good work put in by the various organisations. The collections made were also allocated.

In his address to the gathering Sir Thomas said:—

Gentlemen,—We meet to-day to wind up our functions as the Silver Jubilee Committee and I am presenting to you the final accounts of our expenditure. You will be glad to see, and in these hard times the Government is no less glad, that we kept well within the amount voted to us by the Legislative Council. But we could not have done this without the very generous assistance both in money and labour of our Chinese friends who contributed no less than \$169,500 to the expenses of the Day and Night processions which were so unique and so successful a feature of our celebrations.

The warmest thanks both of the Committee and in particular to Mr. Ho Kam Tong whose accident we so much deplored and to Mr. Tse Ka Po who took his place and to the various Guilds and Associations for their very effective organization of the processions.

SUCCESSFUL EFFORTS

Gentlemen, I think we may, without undue self adulation, congratulate ourselves in the success of our efforts to celebrate His Majesty's Silver Jubilee in a fitting manner. I need not weary you with an account of our doings for you are all well aware of them and a full account was sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies for his information. Letters of thanks were sent by His Excellency Sir William Peel or by myself to our many helpers and I do not propose to repeat them in the form of detailed votes of thanks to-day.

I do wish however to make public recognition of our indebtedness to the Army, Navy and Air Force for their cooperation, and for their special displays, to the shipping companies, business firms and general public for their effective private illuminations, and in this connection I could have wished that more householders on the Peak had followed the excellent example set by the French Consul and others whose illuminated houses added so much to the evening displays, and also to the Electric Companies on both sides of the Harbour for their willing cooperation.

THANKS

As regards the daylight decorations, our thanks are specially due to Lt. Col. Dowbiggin, O.B.E. for his assistance in the matter of the Volunteer Headquarters and to the Public Works Department for the public decorations. In the New Territories we were indebted to the District Officers and to the Elders for their excellent work. It is estimated that \$4,570 were contributed by the inhabitants of the New Territories out of their own pockets to supplement the Government grant.

As regards the Schools, I desire to thank the Director of Education and the Managers, Schoolmasters and Schoolmistresses of the various schools for their very valuable contribution to the success of the celebrations from the Children's point of view; and while on the subject of children, I would specially thank the Colony Commissioners of the Boy Scouts and Girl Guides and all their helpers for the Jamborally which was a most effective feature in our celebrations.

Gentlemen, nothing can be done without publicity in these days and we were fortunate in having the most willing and ready co-operation of the Press to whom we tender our warmest thanks. The Publicity Sub-Committee made no claims on our finances and I congratulate Mr. Pelham and his Committee on the success of their efforts.

DOLLAR COLLECTION

The Dollar collection, though it did not achieve the full success for which I had hoped raised no less than \$7,137.08 the distribution of which has been approved by His Majesty and will be laid before you at a later stage in our proceedings. The onus of collecting the money fell largely on The Honourable Mr. Kewell, Mr. A. Morris, and Mr. Balfour to whom, as well as to the Hong-Kong Bank for their kind assistance, our thanks are due.

I desire also to thank the Police and the St. John's Ambulance

KIDNAPPED GIRL

RETURNS

Four Years Of Captivity

Surprise awaited a Chinese hawk on Tuesday night while hawking his wares in the streets in Kowloon he was suddenly confronted by his foster sister Cheung Ling, 18, who had been missing for the last four years.

The girl dressed in Hakka style clothing and looking the picture of perfect health was at once taken to the Mongkok Police Station by the brother and was later sent to the C.I.D. Yau-mat Police Station where a full report was made.

Four years ago the girl was kidnapped from the Yau-mat District and a report was then made. The girl was apparently taken to the Sheung Tung District where she had escaped from her captors and she hitch hiked to Hong Kong. This took her four days.

At the time of the kidnapping, her mother and other relatives left for the country but their search proved unavailing and they gave it up as hopeless.

Cheung Ling's foster brother, however, remained in Kowloon, and she apparently knew of this, for on arrival here she straightway searched the streets for him and found him hawking.

It is stated the girl remembers the names of her kidnappers and this, no doubt, will assist the police greatly in their efforts to track them down.

TRAIN FARES

Further Reductions

Further reductions in the fares of the Kowloon-Canton Railway have been decided by the management of the Kowloon Canton Railway after consultation between Mr. Li Kuk Chiu the manager of the Chinese section and Capt. R. D. Walker manager of the British section.

The experiment of the 'Cheap Fare' express turned out to be very satisfactory and in view of this fact it was decided to continue the present schedule with corresponding reductions in the fares.

The fares on the Express and ordinary fast trains will as from August 24 be as follows:

3rd Class from Hong Kong reduced from \$1.20 to 70 cents, no return fare.

2nd Class reduced from \$2.60 to \$1.80 no return fare 1st class reduced from \$5 to \$4. Return fare \$7.50.

The fares from Canton will be at \$1.10, 2.60 and 5.60 for the 3rd, 2nd and 1st classes. There will be no return fares for the first two and \$10.80 for return fares for the first class. The fares are in Chinese currency.

Should the arrangements meet with the necessary support further additional trains will be put on the line.

Brigade for their success in dealing with traffic problems and the minor casualties inseparable from crowded streets.

Lastly Gentlemen, I desire to express my personal indebtedness to you all and in particular to Sir William Shenton the Vice Chairman of this Committee and the Chairman of the various Sub-Committees for your willing co-operation and strenuous work which resulted in a success of which the Colony may well be proud. So effectively did you carry out your work that there was very little left for me to do.

I cannot close without expressing my warmest thanks, in which I am sure you will all wish to join, to our Secretary, Mr. S. F. Balfour, on whom fell the very onerous duty of co-ordinating the activities of the various Sub-Committees. His ready and courteous help kept our whole machinery working smoothly and contributed in no small degree to the success of our undertakings.

DISTRIBUTION

The Charitable Collection amounted to \$7,137.08. His Majesty the King has consented to its distribution as follows: To Children's Playgrounds Association \$2,068.54 To Society for Protection of Children 2,068.54 To Little Sisters of the Poor 1,000.00 To Netley Hospital 1,000.00 To St. John's Ambulance 1,000.00

RANPURA IN

NAVAL REVIEW

Eventful Passage

Two tragedies marred the Ranpura's trip out from home on her last voyage. Mr. R. D. Hiddle, a member of the Malay Education Staff succumbed to heart failure shortly after leaving Aden. The widow and her two children were put ashore at Bombay and returned to England.

Two hours after the ship had left Singapore an Indian named Mool Chand Nunumal who had boarded the boat there died of fatty degeneration of the heart. Both she deceased were buried at sea.

Another incident of the voyage which was in a way unfortunate but at the same time pleased the Ranpura crew and passengers considerably, was the breakdown of the Moldavia while on a cruise. This meant that some 200 passengers from the cruising ship were transferred to the Ranpura at Gibraltar and taken to Marseilles—a short but thoroughly enjoyable trip according to the officers of the ship.

FIRST INCIDENT

This, incidentally, is the first mishap which has occurred to a P. and O. cruise ship since the inauguration of cruising over three years ago. Unfortunately it was followed shortly afterwards by the Laurantia's accident of a few days ago.

While in England the Ranpura herself went on a cruise, being one of the 20 liners from which civilians saw the Naval Review at Spithead.

This meant that the ship spent very little time in London, but that her 500 passengers the Ranpura her 500 passengers the Ranpura moored alongside the Berengaria and those abroad, witnessed the thrilling spectacle of almost the entire British Fleet being led to sea by the King.

SPECIAL DISTINCTION

The Ranpura was among the five ships which were singled out for a special distinction during the review, for her Commander Captain S. H. Furlong, was presented to His Majesty aboard the Victoria and Albert.

Captain Furlong was at sea for the last time in his capacity as commander since he retired at the end of his last voyage from China and only took the ship on the cruise because of the auspicious occasion, and, as Commodore of the P. and O. fleet, he was presented together with four other commodores who were presented, to the King.

LOCAL CADET

OFFICER

Mr. Grantham Honoured

The Hong Kong Government has been notified by the Secretary of State for the Colonies of the appointment of Mr. A.W.G.H. Grantham, Cadet Officer in the Hong Kong Civil Service, to be Colonial Secretary, Bermuda. Mr. Grantham will proceed to take up his new appointment in October.

Mr. Alexander William George Harder Grantham, M. A. Cantab, born a March 15, 1899, joined the Hong Kong Government in December 1922 and passed his final examination in 1924. He was attached to Colonial Secretary's Office in 1925 and in 1926 when the 'Gunning Piracy Commission' sat he acted as secretary to that Commission. He has acted in the capacity of Acting Assistant Treasurer, Assistant Assessor of Rates, and Second Police Magistrate. In 1930 he acted as secretary to the Retirement Committee in addition to being Assistant Postmaster General. He was Second Police Magistrate in 1933 and went home on leave returning here in 1934 and again served as Police Magistrate. Latterly he was connected with the Colonial Secretariat.

His many friends will join us in congratulating Mr. Grantham and wishing him success in his new sphere of work.

AROUND THE

COURTS

(Continued from Page 6)

WOMAN THE CAUSE

Charged with fighting in Queen's Road East near Li Chiu Street two carpenters Wong Kai Ming and Li Kian admitted the offence when charged before Mr. W. Schofield yesterday at the Central Magistracy and were bound over.

Detective-Sergeant Pitches stated that the second defendant kept a woman for three years, when she left him and went to the first defendant, with whom she lived for about a week and then returned to the second defendant. On Tuesday the men met in the street and had a fight, the second man using a wooden pillow. A number of people joined in on the side of the first defendant.

Fines totalling \$50, with the alternative of two months' hard labour, were imposed upon Cheung Kwai, 47, coolie, who appeared on remand before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday charged with stealing a tin of condensed milk and having attempted to steal by trick 80 cents and three Chinese books. Inspector Chester-Woods stated that police enquiries revealed that defendant owned several pieces of land and a house in the Sai Kung district. It will be recalled that defendant entered a shop at No. 482 Prince Edward Road last Saturday and asked for three books and produced a dollar. The foki went to get the books and when he returned he found that defendant had hidden the dollar in a lump of dough and had stolen a tin of milk. Chan Cho Chak, shop-keeper, was the complainant.

The unlawful possession of five pieces of clothing was admitted by three men, Wong Yee, 28, unemployed, Fung Cheung, 28, street coolie, and Li Ming, 32, coolie, before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday. Wong Yee, who was previously bound over, forfeited his bond of \$50 or one month in default, and was additionally fined \$75 or six weeks' hard labour, concurrent with the first term; Fung Cheung was fined \$50 or one month, while Li Ming was discharged as there was no evidence against him.

An order for the confiscation of a revolver, three rounds of ammunition and a dagger, was made by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday on the application of Inspector Chester-Woods. The arms were found on the hillside near Shatin Gap, Kowloon City, on August 15 by Chan Lam, Detective C342. No claimants appeared in Court.

Employed as a servant at the Tung Cheung shop, 131 Queen's Road Central, Kwok Sui, 22, pleaded guilty before Mr. Macfadyen at the Central Police Court yesterday to stealing a singlet and was sentenced to three weeks' hard labour. Detective-Sergeant Gowans prosecuted, and stated that defendant was arrested in the Wo Sang pawnshop.

Leung Lam, 44, 10-year banished with two previous convictions, appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy, yesterday, charged with entering the Colony before his term of banishment had expired.

Defendant was sentenced to 12 months' imprisonment. Inspector Hourihan prosecuted.

Li Muk Lin, 29, married woman, and twelve other females, including a 42-year-old girl, appeared before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday and were each fined \$25, or in default one month's hard labour, for the unlawful possession of a total of 170 cattles of pinewood branches at plantation No. 9B, Kowloon City, yesterday. The ball of two absentees, of \$25 each, was estranged. Two of the women admitted having been fined \$10 for the same offence. Mr. K. W. Furrow, of the Botanical and Forestry Department, appeared for the prosecution.

A fine of \$75, with the alternative of six weeks' hard labour, was imposed upon Ho Sing Sze, 32, coolie, when he pleaded guilty before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday to a charge of keeping a common gaming house at No. 168 Wooning Street, first floor, yesterday. Thirteen other men and a woman pleaded guilty to a charge of gambling on the premises and were each fined

"NOT GUILTY" OF

MANSLAUGHTER

Young Chinese Freed

After a retirement of twenty five minutes the jury empanelled to assist the Judge, Mr. Justice R. E. Lindell at the Supreme Court yesterday at the trial of a young Hoklo named Chong Ma Chuen charged with the manslaughter of a compatriot, Ip Shi at Tai O on June, returned a verdict of "not guilty."

The jury comprised—Messrs. R. G. Noldredh (foreman), J.M.M. Alves, Leung Fa-chun, R.M. Henry, D. Skinner, F. Edwards and A. Munze. Mr. G. Nisbet was originally picked to serve on the jury but owing to difficulty in hearing he was relieved and Mr. Munze took his place.

Mr. W. J. Lockhart-Smith, Assistant Crown Solicitor, appeared for the prosecution, but the accused was not legally represented. Outlining the facts of the case Mr. Lockhart-Smith said that on the day in question the deceased and another man named Tso Chung Tsai went to fish crab from a salt pan owned by the Hoi Shan Lee Co. While the deceased was digging for crabs with a pick axe, the defendant who is an employee of the firm suddenly appeared and without warning snatched the pick axe away from the deceased and prodded him in the abdomen. After this the deceased could not move and the accused returned to his house taking away the pick axe with him. The deceased's friend went to look for his parents and not finding them home returned to the scene when he helped the deceased home. He succeeded in finding them later and together they proceeded to the scene of the assault, where they found the accused. They took him back to their house where deceased, who was lying on the bed, identified him as his assailant. The police was subsequently informed of the matter.

REFUSED OPERATION

Deceased was later removed to the Kowloon Hospital where he was examined by Dr. G.V.A. Griffiths who found that he was suffering from internal bleeding in the abdomen. An operation was decided upon but the step-mother of deceased objected to this. She, however, gave her consent some two hours later. The operation appeared to have been successful, but three days later the deceased developed bronchitis and died. The deceased's spleen was found to be three times the normal size.

Mr. Lockhart-Smith then produced witnesses to give evidence in support of his outline, after which the accused made a statement from the dock. He denied that he had assaulted the deceased and put forward the suggestion that the injuries might have been caused by deceased falling in an attempt to run away.

After His Lordship had summed up, the jury retired for twenty-five minutes and returned the verdict stated above.

\$2, in default three days' imprisonment. A sum of \$13.38 which was picked up was ordered to be put in the Poor Box. Detective-Sergeant Franklin prosecuted.

Appearing on remand, Pank Yik, 25, a seaman of the Water Police Station, who is alleged to have obtained \$80 from Li Yik, 21, unemployed, with intent to defraud between April 1 and June 21 by pretending to obtain employment for him in the service of the Hong Kong Government, and uttering a forged document purported to have been issued by the Harbour Office, was formally remanded for seven days by Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday. Bail in the sum of \$750, in cash or in two sureties, was granted. Mr. M. A. de Silva appeared for defendant and Inspector Stimson was for the prosecution.

When he failed to appear before Mr. Thomson at the Kowloon Magistracy yesterday to answer a summons for failing to comply with a Magistrate's order to pay maintenance to his wife, an order was made for the issuing of a warrant for the arrest of Chan Ting Kong, of No. 100, Nam Chung Street. The complainant was Fung King Ha, of No. 171, Kung Street. Defendant was previously fined to pay his wife a monthly maintenance of \$25.

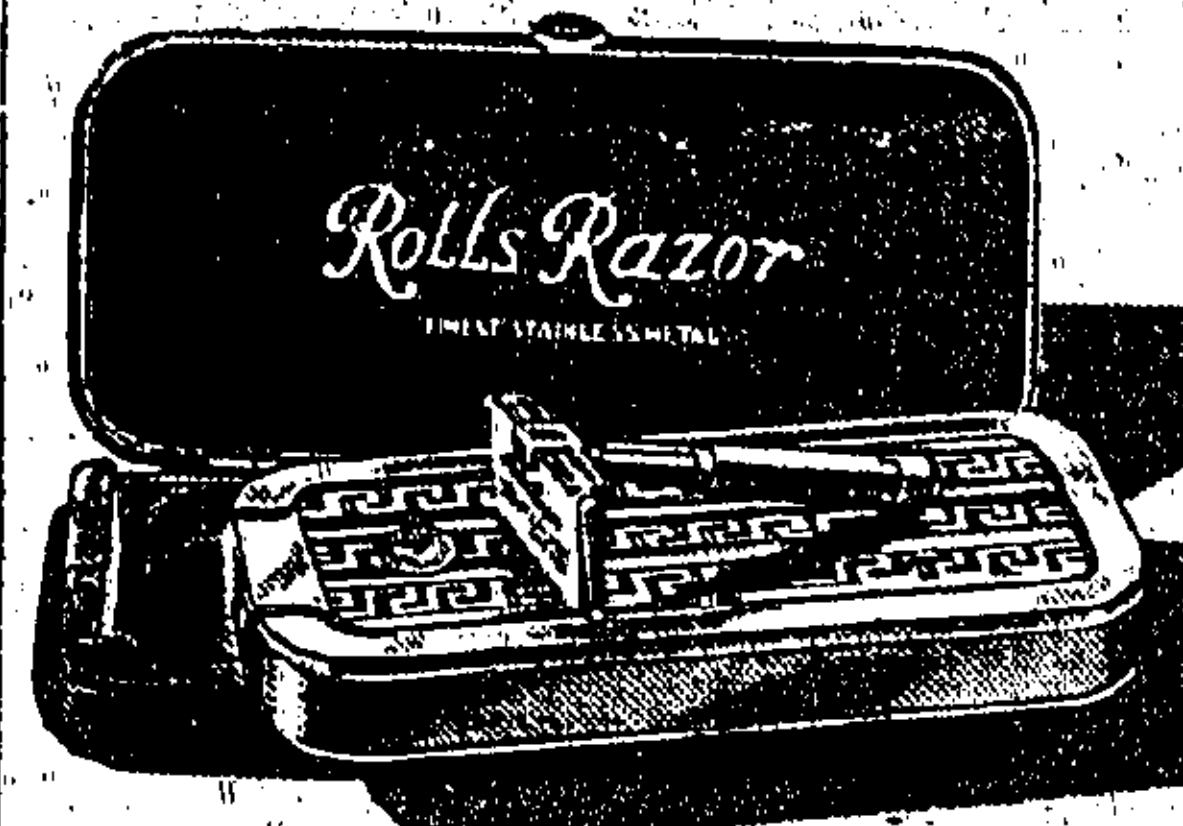
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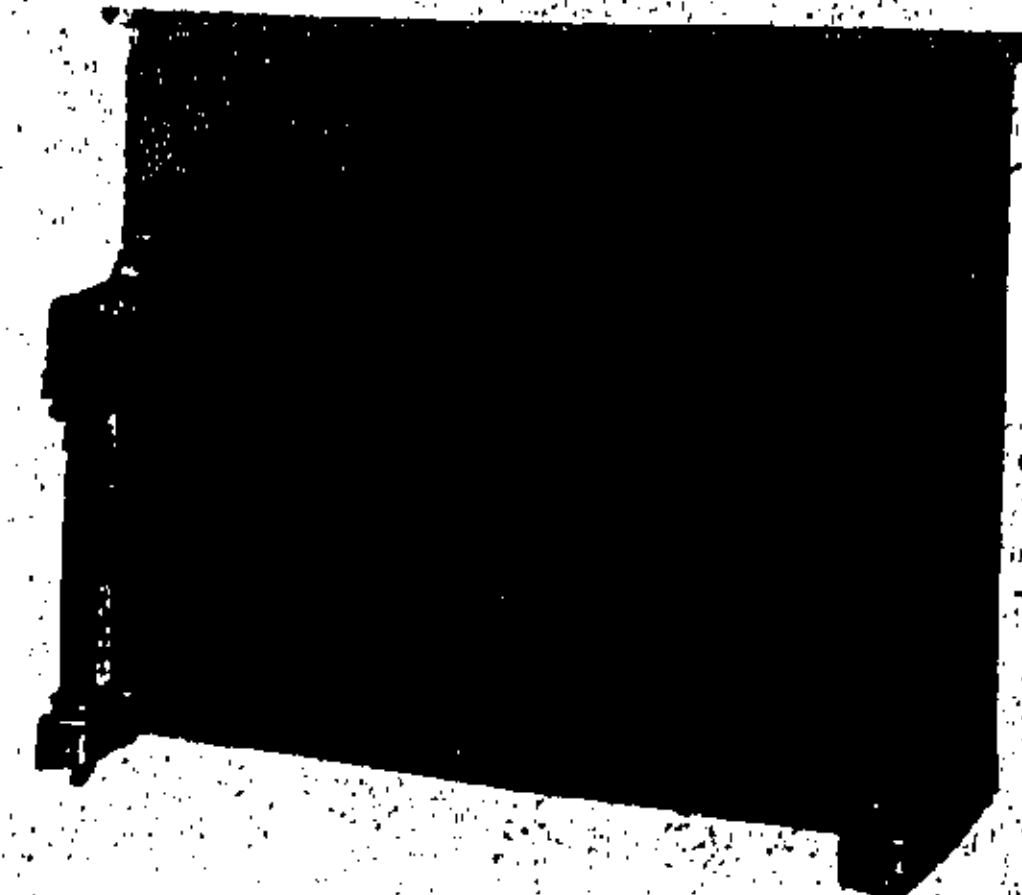
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DEATH

MOGRA—On August 20, 1935, in Paris, Eduard Rustomji Mogra, of Sharnen, Canton. Aged 62 years. (Hong Kong, Shanghai, Japan and Bombay papers please copy).

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LONDON BREED

The most virile and mighty of cities, London, contrives in some fortunate way to implant a sturdiness in her sons. When trench warfare was testing the fortitude of mind and frame, week after week throughout the length of the line there were no more resilient battalions than the Cockneys, who triumphantly suggested that the best of all nurseries for soldiering was a London backstreet. The Londoner has long been known for his humour and pert intelligence and in comparison with other cities London comes out on top on the score of physique. The Industrial Health Research Board after examining 14,000 men living in the chief cities has established that the London workman is above the average in height, weight and strength. He is also burly of body and ready of wit and a tough customer who should be a match for anyone. The Doctors say that London noise and rush are frittering our nerves, and that the Capital's polluted air is carbonising our lungs; yet your true native enjoys the noise, leads the rush and imbibes the atmospheric by-products as a whole-time nourishment. Another centre which rears hefty citizens is Liverpool. Birmingham men are as hard as their metal work but Glasgow's sons stand below the average. Perhaps the report helps to explain "the trend of industry South", at any rate it shows Dunbar's praise of London in the Sixteenth Century is not out of date, and that though "Most mighty carbuncle of virtue and valour" may sound a trifle extravagant, "Strong Troy in vigour and in strenuity" is still good enough.

The Research Board have found that this unemployed in height

MANY FEARED KILLED

Roadway Caves In

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Berlin, Aug. 20.

The old proverb that misfortunes seldom come singly is verified once again on Tuesday when close on the heels of destruction of a large part of the Great Wireless Exhibition here is the second serious catastrophe which occurred on Tuesday at 12.15 p.m. when about eighty meters of the road way between Brandenburg Gate and Potsdamerplatz beneath which the new North South underground railway is now being excavated collapsed.

The material damage alone is very great and will delay considerably the completion of the project, which the state in the public interest has been making strenuous efforts to finish.

More poignant is however the regret felt at the probable loss of life. At the roll calls held soon after the disaster 14 men failed to answer but whether some or all of the absentees were working below the surface at the time or left for lunch is not yet determined, and the exact cause of the catastrophe is unknown.

The firebrigades took up emergency rescue work immediately but the danger of further collapse of considerable earth because the sides of the trench 15 metres below the ground level formed by the subsidence of surface, threatens to landslide at any moment.

Immediately after the news of the disaster spread, two companies of pioneer battalions were ordered by the military authorities to leave Custrin for the scene of the misfortune to start expert salvage operations. The rescue force arrived at 8 p.m. and took up duties immediately.

Transocean Kuo Min.

SALVAGE WORK

Berlin, Aug. 20.

The eagerly awaited official declaration about the cause and extent of the catastrophe that occurred here yesterday, when over 80 yards of roadway under which the tunnelling for a new underground railway was going on collapsed, was issued yesterday night, according to which four of the injured workers were sent to hospital, but none of those believed to have been buried were reached by the pioneer squads, working at high pressure.

The underground railway is being built by the German Railways, which have ordered a rigorous investigation to determine the cause of this disaster, while a parallel inquiry is being conducted by the Police and Chief State Attorney.

The declaration states that the salvage work, despite the utmost efforts will take at least a full day's work.

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TAX THE RICH

Washington, Aug. 20.

The elimination of new inheritance levies proposed by President Roosevelt, as well as an amendment by Senator William E. Borah forbidding future issues of Federal-exempt securities, and the McCarran amendment repealing much of the Silver Purchase Act, has been effected by the Senate and House conference committee, which has reached final agreement on the "Soak the Rich" Tax Bill.

Instead of the inheritance taxes, the Bill, as now agreed, upon, would increase existing estate and gift taxes.

Reuter.

PECULIAR CAMERA

Paris, Aug. 20.

A peculiar camera, able to project a narcotic strong enough to put anyone to sleep for an hour, was found to-day in the possession of a 25-year-old man, Louis Philippe Altmeyer.

He was arrested at Metz on a charge of spying.

He is said to be the liaison officer between the German Secret Service and a French officer of the Metz garrison who has already been arrested on charges of espionage.

Altmeyer, who holds a command in the Nazi mobile forces, is described as a highly cultured linguist who has worked in India, China and the Philippines.

Reuter.

TWO LOCAL RECORDS

International Meeting Heats Completed

Shanghai, Aug. 18.

Outstanding in performance at the heats of the Fourth Annual International Swimming Meeting held at the Foreign Y.M.C.A. last evening was Noel Hammond who improved on the local record of the 100 yards free style by 1/5 second, doing 55.7 flat, while he again did the 50 yards in 25 seconds, which is better than the official Shanghai record.

The gala was witnessed by a full house and excitement was maintained to the end when America defeated Europe in an exciting water polo game by 4 goals to 3, the latter goals being scored in the last few minutes of the game.

Detailed results were:
50 yards free style.—1st heat: 1. N. Hammond (B); 2. Uno (J); 3. Starkovsky (B). Time, 25 seconds. 2nd heat.—1. Britton (A); 2. Oliveira (B); 3. W. S. Liang (C). 25 1/5 secs. Liang qualifies.

200 yards free style.—1st heat: 1. Farmer (B); 2. Gavriloff (E); 3. K. Usui (J). Time, 2 min. 29 2/5 secs. 2nd heat.—1. A. Logan (B); 2. Taniguchi; 3. Y. K. Chang (C). Times, 2 min. 22 secs. Usui qualifies.

100 yards free style.—1st heat: 1. N. Hammond (B); 2. S. Uno (J); 3. W. S. Liang (C). Time, 57 secs. 2nd heat.—1. Starkovsky (E); 2. Paget (A); 3. M. Kinoshita (J). Time, 61 secs. Kinoshita and W. S. Liang to swim off for qualification.

400 yards free style.—1st heat: 1. B. K. Sie (C); 2. McAllister (A); 3. T. Fukui (J). Time, 5 min. 35 secs. 2nd heat.—1. A. Logan (B); 2. T. Masuzawa (J); 3. J. Shu (C). Time, 5 min. 34 secs. Kukui qualifies.

800 yards free style (final).—1. Grilk (E); 2. B. K. Sie (C); 3. Lamken (A); 4. B. Kinoshita (J). Time, 11 min. 38 secs.

100 yards back stroke.—1st heat: 1. H. Barents (E); 2. MacAllister (A); 3. L. C. Gan (C). Time, 75 1/2 secs. 2nd heat: 1. Wagner (E); 2. T. Kinetsuki; 3. Z. J. Chow (C). Time, 76.2/3 secs. Chow qualifies.

200 yards breast stroke.—1st heat: 1. H. Ban (J); 2. E. L. Gan (C); 3. Welz (A). Time, 2 min. 56 secs. 2nd heat.—1. T. Takiguchi (J); 2. K. Gan (C); 3. T. Fienbacher (E). Time, 2 min 65 1/2 secs. Welz qualifies.

Water polo.—United States beat Europe 4 to 3.

United States.—Brosseau, McAllister, Bell, Lamken, Leonard, Welz and Paget. Europe.—Remedios, Abdikir, Wagner, Park Gavriloff, Starkovsky, Oliveira.

TO PLAY IN HONG KONG?

Wellington, Aug. 20.

The New Zealand University Rugby team which is to tour Japan during the beginning of next year may possibly play two matches in Hong Kong en route.

According to an announcement made to-day the team will leave Sydney on December 28 for a three months tour of Japan.

It is hoped that games will be arranged in Hong Kong on its way to Japan and again on its return.

Reuter.

TOULON DISORDERS

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Paris, Aug. 20.

A sequel to the recent disturbances in Toulon occurred yesterday when the court sentenced three workers each to three months imprisonment, while 36 persons including two foreigners received lighter punishments for "obstructing the traffic."

Transocean Kuo Min.

THE RADIO SHOW

Berlin, Aug. 20.

The Radio Exhibition was reopened to the public at noon, the only damage done by yesterday's fire being to one hall, which was burned out.

One of the people injured in the fire has died, while another is not expected to live.

Reuter.

MR. EDEN EXPLAINS PEACE PLAN FOR ABYSSINIA

Mr. Eden, broadcasting from Geneva on Saturday, on the Italo-Abyssinian dispute, said: "We have been meeting in the shadow of a thundercloud which, if it were to burst, would have consequences which no one could well foresee."

"There is no question of shirking the difficulties or mere acquiescence in dilatory manoeuvres."

"We have set on foot a procedure which, in our judgment, affords the best chance that remains of bringing about a peaceful solution."

"We have named a day by which either the negotiations must succeed, or else the Council will have to discharge the obligations placed upon it in the Covenant."

"We have at once set a definite period to the negotiations, and made the best provision in our power for the use of the time that remains."

"During this Council meeting I am happy to be able to record that the French Prime Minister and I have worked in the closest agreement. We cannot, of course, claim to have settled the whole dispute. Unfortunately we are still far removed from so happy an event."

FOUR DIFFICULT DAYS

"If a solution is to be found, I am convinced that we have agreed upon the best means of finding it. For the first time in the dispute provision has been made for all aspects of it, not only the Wal-wal incident, to come before the Council."

Mr. Eden said that he wanted to draw attention to the usefulness of the League on a difficult question like this. The last four days at Geneva had been the most difficult he had ever experienced.

"If there had been no League, what would be the position now? Almost certainly, hopeless. The League may not be able to prevent all wars, especially if any party is determined on war, but it does make sure that in every dangerous dispute the machinery of conciliation, arbitration and negotiation is used to the utmost limit."

"Whatever the outcome of the dispute, and there is, thanks to the League, still a chance of settlement, let us resolve to stand by the League and give it our loyalty and unwavering support."

LEAGUE'S DECLARATION

The "peace formula" for the settlement of the Italo-Abyssinian dispute adopted by the League Council embodies two resolutions. The text of the first is:

"The Council, referring to its resolutions of May 25, 1935, concerning the settlement of the dispute which had arisen between the Italian and Ethiopian Governments in consequence of the Wal-wal incident, whose settlement was to be effected by the methods specified under Article 5 of the Italo-Ethiopian Treaty of August, 1928;

"Whereas the proceedings of the Commission of Conciliation and Arbitration have been interrupted and in order to ensure their resumption, the two Governments concerned have applied to the Council for interpretation of the agreement reached between those two Governments in reference to the exact scope of the task entrusted to the Commission;

"Without offering any opinion on the attitude of the agents of the two Governments before the Commission or the views expressed by the members of the Commission itself;

"Considering that the competence of the Commission rests upon the agreement reached between the parties to the dispute;

"Considering that it appears both from the Notes of May 15 and 16, 1935, and from the declarations made before the Council at its meeting on May 25, that the two parties did not agree that the Commission should examine frontier incidents or give a legal interpretation of the agreements and treaties concerning the frontiers, and this matter, therefore, does not fall within the province of the Commission.

"Considering, in consequence, that the Commission must not, by its decision on the Wal-wal incident, prejudice the solution of questions which do not fall within its province, and that it would be prejudging that solution if it founded its decision on the opinion that the place at which the incident occurred is under the sovereignty either of Italy or of Ethiopia."

"Declares that while it is always open to the Commission to take into consideration, without entering upon any discussions on the matter, the conviction of the local

authorities on either side as to the sovereignty over the place, of the incident: "It is clear from the foregoing considerations that the Commission has not to take into account the circumstances that Wal-wal is either under the sovereignty of one or the other of the two parties, but must concern itself solely with the other matters in the dispute relating to the Wal-wal incident;

"Takes note that the representatives of the two parties have declared that they intend to pursue the procedure of conciliation and arbitration under the conditions laid down in Article 5 of the Treaty of 1928;

"Takes note of the declaration of the two parties to the effect that the four members of the Commission of Conciliation and Arbitration will proceed without delay to designate the fifty arbitrator whose appointment might be necessary for the carrying through of their work;

"Confident that the procedure will have brought about a settlement of the dispute before Sept. 1, 1935, invites the two Governments to report on the result not later than Sept. 4."

"The second resolution runs: "The Council decides to meet in any event on Sept. 4 to undertake the general examination in its various aspects of the relations between Italy and Ethiopia."

WORLD AWAITS SOLUTION

Mr. Eden, supporting the resolution, said: "I do so because I believe that the procedure thus contemplated affords the best chance of bringing about a peaceful solution of the difference between Italy and Abyssinia. Such a solution is, indeed, most anxiously and urgently awaited by all the countries of the world."

"A further attempt is to be made to reach a settlement of the Wal-wal incident by the procedure prescribed in Article 5 of the Italo-Ethiopian Treaty of Friendship of 1928 and in the conditions laid down by that article. As the parties have agreed to the appointment of a fifth arbitrator I trust that this attempt will be successful."

"Independently of this procedure, the three Powers who are parties to the agreement of 1906 will enter at once into conversations with a view to finding a solution acceptable to all for the difficulties of a more general nature which have unfortunately arisen between Italy and Abyssinia."

"The Council will, I feel sure, wish success to these conversations. I will report their outcome to the Council at their next session. In any event, the Council will meet on Sept. 4 to consider the general question of the relations between Italy and Abyssinia."

M. LAVAL ON HIS TASK

M. Laval said: "Our negotiations have been difficult and laborious, but thanks to the interval you gave us we have now been able to establish a text which will enable the proceedings of arbitration and conciliation to reach a definite issue."

"The appointment of a fifth arbitrator will permit the council to hope that they have done all they could and that everything is being done to settle the Wal-wal incident. Once again the council has fulfilled its high and noble mission and all those who are devoted to the Geneva Institution rejoice. Our task is not finished. The gravity of the circumstances still persists."

"Also, as the representative of France my role is not finished, but with all my force I shall seek the possibility of reconciliation."

"Faithful to the obligations of the Covenant and in response to the unanimous opinion of my country, it is a task I shall pursue to the end. We shall not allow any opportunity for peace to escape us."

THREE MEMBERS TO RETIRE

(Special to the "Hong Kong Daily Press" (Copyright).)

Geneva, Aug. 20.

The League of Nations Secretariat announces that at the 16th League of Nations Assembly which will be succeeded by another on September 16, three members of the League Council will retire, namely, Mexico, Czechoslovakia, and Poland.

"As in former years Poland will probably be re-elected. Mexico will be succeeded by another South American State while Czechoslovakia will be replaced by one of the other members of the Little Entente."

Transocean Kuo Min.

NEWS SUMMARY

Taken by kidnappers from the Yaumati district four years ago, a girl, Chung Ling, aged 18 years made her way to Kowloon on Tuesday and met her foster brother, her only relative in the Colony. Page 7

Wong Kai Ming and Li Kan, both carpenters, engaged in a fight arising out of a quarrel over a woman and as a sequel were bound over when they appeared before Mr. Schofield at the Central Magistracy yesterday. They admitted fighting in Queen's Road East, near Li Chit Street. Page 8

The theft of three pairs of trousers, which led to the appearance of Lo Sze, 56, amah, and Chan Chiu Pak, 30, unemployed, who was charged with receiving, before Mr. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's yesterday revealed a story of how a mother stole to enable her son to look for employment. Page 6

A young Hoklo named Chong Ma Chuen was charged before Mr. Justice Lindsell at the Criminal Sessions yesterday with the manslaughter of a compatriot, Ip Shi, at Tai-O on June 25. Page 7

Wong Chin Hing, married woman, was fined \$50 by Mr. Schofield at the Central Police Court yesterday for failing to report an unregistered, mul-tsal. Page 6

The story of an exciting voyage, marked by both gay and tragic incidents, was told by officers of the P. and O. liner Ranpura which arrived here yesterday from England. Page 7

The dates for the postponed fixtures, the rink championship final, and the pairs final among other items were arranged at the sub-committee meeting of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association held yesterday afternoon. Page 10

The 27th, Company R.A.M.C. held their 4th, Annual Aquatic Meet at the Y.M.C.A. bath yesterday. The events were keenly contested, and though the swimming was not of a high standard there was no lack of enthusiasm. At the conclusion of the sports Mrs. Blame presented the prizes. Page 10

LOCAL AND GENERAL

There was a clean bill of health for the 24 hours ended on Tuesday.

The Great Northern Telegraph Company inform us that the following unclaimed telegrams are lying in their offices.—Fanhinalex from Kobe; Pains (Wah Lam, 15 Lee Tung Street) from Shanghai; Hawhowl from Kobe; Greatwood, Palm Court, Nathan Road, Kowloon from Hakonemiyanoshtis; and Lopez care, King's Theatre from Kobe.

Miss E. E. Pennack, sister of Capt. C. Pennack, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, who arrived here from Australia on Thursday, has reported to the police that between 10.15 and 11.15 p.m. on Monday, some person, stole from No. 4 matshed at 10 1/2 milestone beach, Tsun Wan, her silver kid handbag, containing money and jewellery to the value of \$313; also a Japanese straw handbag, containing money, three handkerchiefs and a flag-jack, valued at \$10, the property of Miss M. Huntingdon, of the War Memorial Hospital.

Captain J. Lovick, master of the steamer Havord, lying at the Kowloon Docks, has notified the police of the loss of a canvas awning, valued at \$20.

HOME CRICKET RESULTS

London, Aug. 20.

Lancashire (175 and 396 for 5 wickets) beat Kent (340 and 230 for 8 wickets dec.) by five wickets.

Derbyshire (408 and 259 for 6 wickets dec.) beat Worcestershire (463 and 104 for 1 wkt.) on first innings.

Notts (322 and 128 for 7 wickets) beat Glamorgan (201 and 248) by three wickets.

Yorkshire (367) beat Middlesex (183 and 102) by an innings and 82 runs.

Leicestershire (183 and 174 for 6 wickets) beat Sussex (136 and 199) by four wickets.

Hampshire (458 for 3 wickets dec.) beat Northants (129 and 116) by an innings and 418 runs.

Essex (317 and 161) beat Gloucestershire (228 and 177) by 83 runs.

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Much Activity In London

GENEVA DESIRES EARLY LEAGUE ASSEMBLY

Foreign Office Talks

London, August 21.

The possibility of sanctions against Italy dominates League circles who are hoping that the British Cabinet on Thursday would favour the convening of the emergency meeting of the League Council next week instead of on September 4, as originally proposed. It is argued that in view of the possibility of the declaration of war any day, the week saved by the adoption of this procedure would be of tremendous value.

The measures which might be taken by the League, according to previous decisions of the League Assembly in 1921 and 1927, include a blockade and a naval demonstration against the State held to blame for the threat to peace.

The risk of applying any kind of pressure to a country in the present mood of Italy is freely recognised, but it is believed that the most effective measure which could be used to prevent an Italian conquest of Abyssinia would be the closing of the Suez Canal or the denial of its approaches to Italian ships.

Before this can be done, however, the League Council would have to pass a vote granting executive mandate to the Powers possessing the necessary naval forces, namely Britain and France. In the naval sphere alone the task of enforcing such measure should not be beyond the power of Great Britain but there is, of course, no question of the British Government undertaking any isolated action.

HOLIDAYS SPOILED

League officials are hurriedly returning to Geneva from their holidays, realising that the next fortnight would be the most decisive for the existence of the League and for the issue of war in East Africa and elsewhere.

In Paris the Press regards the prospects for a peaceful settlement as almost hopeless and emphasises the necessity of maintaining the "Stresa Front" in the face of German danger.—*Reuter.*

EMPIRE CONFERENCE

London, Aug. 21.

The gravity of the situation is reflected in the great activities at Whitehall this morning, and the interest taken by all parties in the position is shown by the fact that Mr. George Lansbury called on the Foreign Office at 10.30 a.m. and had an interview, lasting 20 minutes, with Sir Samuel Hoare after which Mr. Lloyd George, who motored up specially from Churt, visited the Foreign Office at 11 a.m., stayed over an hour and saw Sir Samuel Hoare and Mr. Anthony Eden, but declined to say anything in regard to the visit.

After Mr. Lloyd George's call, Sir Samuel Hoare held a miniature Empire Conference in the Foreign Office which was attended by the High Commissioners of Australia, Canada and New Zealand and the Egyptian Minister. It is learned that as a preliminary to the Cabinet Meeting tomorrow the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Cabinet will meet at 10, Downing Street to-day and that Mr. Ramsay MacDonald will be presiding in the absence of Mr. Stanley Baldwin in order to hear Mr. Anthony Eden's report on the events in Paris and to consider the position arising from the failure of the Paris Conference.—*Reuter.*

U.S. CONCERN

Washington, Aug. 20.

The possibility of war in Europe to-day precipitated an animated debate in the Senate in which twenty members joined, and during which newspaper war scare headlines were read out.

A powerful group of senators is pressing for the passage, before the adjournment of Congress blocks their move, of a bill embodying neutrality legislation, introduced by Senator Pittman, chairman of the Foreign Relations Committee.

This measure would block shipments of arms and munitions to belligerents and forbid American citizens travelling in belligerent ships and deny American ports to belligerent warships.

The speakers frequently referred to the drawing of the United States into the World War.

THE SILVER CRISIS

Rates Fixed

Bombay, Aug. 20.

At an emergency meeting of the Board of Directors, the Bombay Bullion Exchange unanimously resolved to prohibit merchants from entering into silver transactions either before the first settlement or the second settlement below the rupee rates of 64.13 and 65.1 respectively, until further notice. The resolution was passed with a view to avoiding the threatened crisis, and the bearing of rates in the present nervous market.—*Reuter.*

HEAVY LOSSES

It is reported that bullion dealers have lost 10,000,000 rupees in the silver market. One prominent dealer alone lost 3,000,000.

It was rumoured that prominent dealers were unable to meet their liabilities at the present settlement.—*Reuter.*

SILVER MARKET

(From Our Own Correspondent)

London, August 21.

London silver prices to-day were unchanged for Spot and up 1/8 for forward as follows:—

	Aug. 20	Aug. 21
Spot	29	29
Forward	28-9/16	28-11/16

London on New York cross-rate at 2 p.m. to-day was 4.9831 as compared with 4.925 at closing yesterday.

The question of how those students will sit for the examinations due in the autumn, is now settled by deputising the Italian Colonial schools in East Africa to appoint a special commission to conduct the examinations locally.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

ITALIANS LEAVE

Addis Ababa, Aug. 20.

Forty-eight Italian nationals and their families left Abyssinia yesterday at the instigation of the Italian Government.

All Italians living in Addis Ababa are fast becoming more or less directly affected by the war preparations. For instance, it is reported that the Italians here are using horses and mules instead of motor cars to save petrol as far as possible.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

EFFORTS TO GO ON

Paris, Aug. 20.

The Italian-Abyssinian conciliation committee to deal with the dispute arising out of Ualual incident met on Tuesday forenoon when it was decided that the fifth arbitrator would be named so that in case differences of opinion arising among the four present committee members the fifth could be co-opted without waste of time. The committee agreed unanimously that the fifth committee man elect should be M. Politis the Greek Minister in Paris. It was further decided that the committee should take up labours at the point it was last interrupted and to deal with statements made by the governments concerned.

The legal expert of the Abyssinian Government, Professor Jese was asked to submit his report taking into consideration the League of Nations decisions of August 3, 1935, whereby the question of territorial ownership of Ualual was ruled out.

At the beginning of Tuesday's session the Abyssinian representatives Lapradelle and Professor Potter, made a declaration, the nature of which was not made public.

The Italian representatives, Count Aldovrandi and State councillor Montagna announced that they had made reservations concerning the Abyssinian statements. Both statements were recorded in the minutes. Finally the four committee men agreed that efforts should be continued.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

SITUATION GRAVE

Paris, Aug. 20.

The Paris "Sole" asserts that the statement made yesterday by the Abyssinian representative at the Italian-Ethiopian conciliation committee referred to the

GARETH JONES'S BODY

Cremated In Peiping

Peiping, August 21.

Capt. Millar returned to Peiping this afternoon with Mr. Gareth Jones's body on which Mr. Fitz Maurice, the British Consul, held an inquest this evening.

Dr. Henry Mueller identified the body but because of the advanced stage of decomposition, medical evidence was unable to state the cause of death and the inquest was adjourned for further inquiries.

The body is being cremated to-night and the ashes will probably be sent to England. When the body arrived at Kalgan last night, the Chinese authorities and foreign community met it, the Chinese providing a military band. There were similar ceremonies this morning when it left Kalgan.—*Reuter.*

recent League of Nations council, whereby the question of sovereignty over the territory of Ualual was removed from the sphere of discussions.

Both the Abyssinian delegates regretted that this made the exhaustive legal treatment and solution of the dispute impossible.

Under the circumstances they would have to refuse the new mission allotted to them, were it not for the gravity of the situation at the present moment.

Both the Italian delegates thereupon, according to the Paris "Sole" made a declaration expressing all reservations respecting the Abyssinian communication.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

MR. MACDONALD'S VIEWS

London, Aug. 21.

"I regard the present position as the most serious thing we had faced since 1914," stated Mr. Ramsay MacDonald on arrival in London from Lissie-moore to attend tomorrow's emergency meeting of the Cabinet. Mr. MacDonald was accompanied by his son Malcolm and added that the situation was very grave.—*Reuter.*

THE MINISTERS RETURN

London, Aug. 20.

The Prime Minister, Stanley Baldwin is leaving Aix-les-Bains, where he arrived two days ago on a holiday and will reach London tomorrow. This afternoon Mr. Baldwin saw Sir Robert Vansittart, the Permanent Under Secretary for Foreign Affairs, who reported on the Paris conversations.

Mr. Baldwin will preside at Thursday's Cabinet, for which the Ministers are returning to London from the country. Mr. Neville Chamberlain and Mr. Walter Elliot, like the Prime Minister are interrupting holidays abroad. Mr. Ramsay MacDonald left Lissie-moore for London to-day. He has cancelled all engagements for the period of a week. On his return to Scotland he will visit Balmoral Castle.

The Foreign Secretary, Sir Samuel Hoare and the Minister of the League of Nations Affairs, Mr. Anthony Eden conferred both in the morning and in the afternoon, and also saw Sir Austin Chamberlain and Mr. S. M. Bruce High Commissioner for Australia, who has represented Australia at many meetings of the League, when they visited the Foreign Office. Mr. Eden informed them of what had occurred at the Three Power Conference in Paris.—*British Wireless.*

"WHO DARES, CONQUERS"

Rome, Aug. 20.

Following the return of Baron Aloisi from the abortive Paris conference, this evening, it was announced that Italy will almost certainly attend the League Council meeting on September 4.

ABYSSINIA AND SILVER

Two Potent Factors

London, August 21.

Abyssinia and silver are at present the two most potent factors in the City, especially the former because real apprehensions exist as to what will be the effect on world trade in the event of an Italo-Abyssinian conflict, which will raise numerous knotty problems, especially the application of sanctions by the League on its members and the question of the definition of contraband.

Silver continues to upset the Foreign Exchanges. America bought heavily on Monday and Tuesday yet no corresponding volume of business passed through the Foreign Exchange market. Some suggest that the American Treasury dealt direct with the big commercial banks who are seasonal purchasers of dollars while others opine that the Bank of England advanced sterling against gold ear marked for New York.

A rumour is going round which is obviously impossible to check up, that America is an unlimited buyer of silver at the present price.

Meanwhile gold is now below 140/- for the first time in the current year, due to the small but steady continental demand for sterling which is being partially offset by the British Control's purchases of francs.—*Reuter.*

Another indication that Signor Mussolini does not intend to draw back from his African enterprise is seen in the fact that he is accepting the renewed offer to volunteer for Colonial service made by his Lieutenant, Colonel Achille Starace, the Secretary of the Fascist Party, and nine members of the directorate of the Party.

Starace holds one of the most influential positions in Italy and all the members of the directorate are prominent Fascists. Mussolini has replied to these offers that he will carry out the wishes of the volunteers at the first suitable moment.

Some 2,000 men of the Black-shirt Division, the "March 23 Division", which Mussolini addressed last week-end, embarked at Naples this evening. They have adopted the motto, "Impiaceable." Other divisions have adopted such mottoes as: "Who Dares Conquers."—*Reuter.*

POLITIS APPOINTED

London, Aug. 20.

A Paris message states the Italo-Abyssinian Commission of Conciliation and Arbitration met there to-day, and unanimously agreed to the appointment as fifth arbitrator, of Monsieur Nicholas Politis, the Greek Minister in Paris and a jurist of international reputation, who has taken active part in League Affairs since its inception.

Politis has accepted the appointment, and the commission will resume its hearings on the Walual incident as soon as possible.—*British Wireless.*

CERTAIN WITNESSES

Paris, Aug. 20.

To-day proceedings of the Italo-Abyssinian Conciliation Commission were devoted to hearing the Abyssinian representative, Professor Jese. Subsequently the Italian delegate, Professor Lessona, asked that certain witnesses should be heard and the Commission agreed to hear them within the next few days.—*Reuter.*

FUTURE MEETINGS

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Paris, Aug. 20.

The Italian Abyssinian Conciliation Committee have decided to hold the future meetings at Berne, where they will hear the evidence about the Ualual dispute from certain important witnesses.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

COTTON LOAN

New York, Aug. 20.

The New York Times Washington correspondent says a renewal of the cotton loan programme, on a basis of ten or eleven cents, instead of last year's twelve cents, appears probable. A decision is expected very soon.—*Reuter.*



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FIGHT TO THE FINISH

Against Emergency Decrees

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Paris, August 21.

More than 30,000 civil servants and ex-soldiers assembled at "Buffalo Stadium" for a mass protest demonstration against the emergency decrees which the Marxist "united front" announced some time ago they were organising.

After the international song had been sung, various speakers who were mostly leaders of communist tradesmen, made sharp attacks against the Governments decrees.

One of the ex-soldier's representative gave assurance that the ex-soldiers were in full accord with the workers while the communist leader declared that the trade unions were ready to call a general strike if the decrees were not rescinded.

The Government ought to be careful if they did not want to have serious disturbances in Tulu again. The excited crowd greeted the speaker with cries of "long live the Soviets every where" and the assembly finally passed a resolution declaring that they will fight to the finish against "the injustice" of the emergency decrees.—*Transocean Kuo Min.*

GUARDING INDUSTRY

Washington, August 20.

The chairman of the Special Committee on the Textile Industry said the Committee's long-awaited

FUNDS URGENTLY NEEDED

Tsinan, August 21.

Thousands will perish unless funds are received, says General Han Fu-chu in a telegram to Nanking.

After a survey of ten flooded districts in Shantung he declares that refugees in that province number 10,000,000. They require at least \$2,000,000 for food alone.

He has requested the Government to impose a flood tax on all railways and appropriate \$150,000 for food relief work immediately.

At the same time it is estimated that there are 1,000,000 homeless in Honan, owing to the floods, and that material damage exceeds \$50,000,000.—*Reuter.*

HU HAN MIN IN GERMANY

Nanking, August 21.

Advices received here state that Hu Han-min, the veteran politician, has arrived in South Germany from Switzerland, adding that at present there is no indication of his returning to China.—*Reuter.*

WANG LEAVES

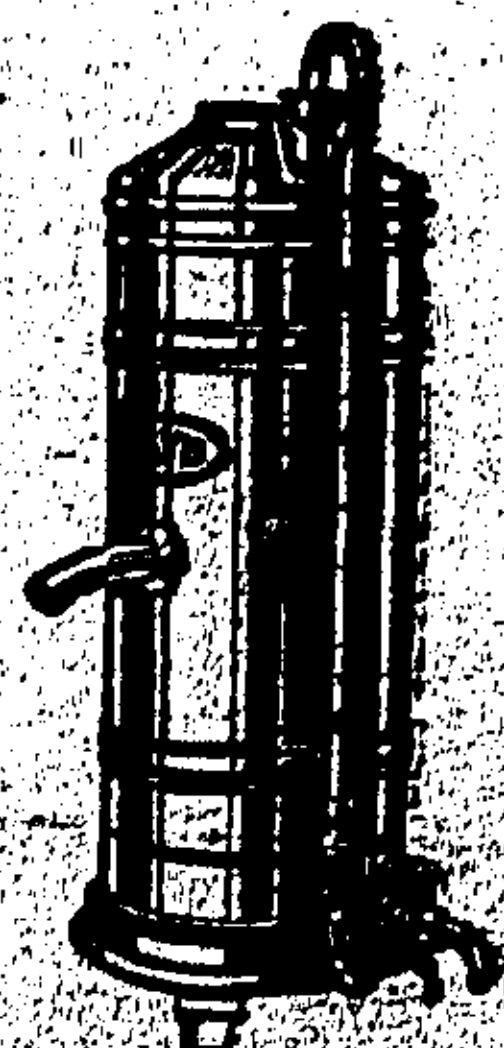
Shanghai, Aug. 20.

Mr. Wang Ching-wei left for Nanking at 11 p.m., being accompanied by Mr. Wu Teh-chen, Mr. Li Shih-tseng, Mr. Tseng Chung-ming, and Mr. Liu Yat-su.—*Reuter.*

report would be sent to the White House to-day or to-morrow and will include recommendations for relieving the industry of a number of problems, chief of which are the cotton processing tax and Japanese cotton goods competition.—*Reuter.*

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THE TURF

The Tote And The Bookies

(Special Air Mail Service)

London, Aug. 5.

Goodwood's meeting will be pleasantly remembered alike for the perfection of the weather conditions under which it was held and for the high quality of the racing from first to last. Fears that the firm going would be against the sport were not realised. The wonderful drought-resisting qualities of the fine old turf were strikingly vindicated. After an abnormally dry July a splendid covering of grass was still sufficient to take much of the jar out of the ground, with the result that fields were excellent for the most part, the meeting closing with relatively few cases of sore shins or more serious leg trouble. Mr. Arthur Pawcett can look back on the fixture with special gratification, for his handicaps worked out singularly well. Many intensely close finishes were a feature of the week. The Duke of Richmond has the material satisfaction of knowing that the receipts on each day were well above the average of recent seasons. Goodwood's great popularity with the racing community was once again proven beyond question.

Another agreeable feature was the large increase on last year's figures of the totalisator turnover, which can be taken as a sign that the public is gradually becoming more "tote minded" in its betting. At the same time, the bookmakers had no reason to complain of the support they received, and the money invested at the totalisator, substantial though it was, could have been only the merest fraction of the turnover in the ring. We have been told that the time is not far distant when many bookmakers away from the course will conduct their business entirely at tote prices rather than by the odds returned in the ring, but the majority of practical racing people regard that suggestion as too fantastic to be taken seriously. The increasing success of the totalisator is being accomplished, singularly enough, without doing the bookmakers a great deal of harm. The explanation is that the tote has attracted a public of its own and, in consequence of its facilities, many more people are betting in a modest way than was formerly the case.

DRAMATIC CUP RACE

It was appropriate that the race for the Goodwood Cup should be the culminating point of the excitement of the week. The race differs widely from the Ascot Cup in the matter of penalties and allowances. Time and again it has been shown that success in the long-distance race at the Royal meeting is not to be easily supplemented at Goodwood. The double had not been accomplished since the days of the White Knight. To win the Gold Cup a horse must be keyed right up to concert pitch, and it is something of an achievement for his trainer to keep him at the same level for the Goodwood Cup. Joe Lawson will tell you that Tiberius is one of those horses who give no special trouble at home. His legs stand any amount of work, and the Manton trainer was confident that the colt was relatively as good last week as he had been at Ascot. It came as something of a shock, therefore, to those interested in him to see the colt engaged in such a strenuous finish on Thursday and scrambling home by only the shortest of margins. Indeed, had Tiberius not swerved in the last two or three strides, it is likely that Tiberius would have done no more than share the honours with the three-year-old.

It can be urged for the winner that the pace was hardly enough to enable him to show his great stamina to the best advantage, though as a fact the time in which the race was run was not indifferent. It would be childish not to award full marks to Beides for his spirited effort, marred only by his departure from the straight line when within a few yards of the end. The two may meet again in next year's Ascot Cup, but the weight will then be less favourable to Beides. Lawson had been hopeful of winning the Stakes as well as the Cup for Sir Abe Bailey, but these calculations were upset by the unfortunate mishap to Short Run. A strained tendon means the finish of that filly's activities this season, and in all probability she will now be retired to the paddocks. Hoping, winning the Stakes under a big weight, showed himself one of the best of our long distance performers, and

it is strange that his success should have been so little expected by his stable. His staying powers are such that he will probably become a fancied competitor for the Cesarewitch, which has just closed with an excellent entry. The prospects of that race and the Cambridge-shire cannot be properly dealt with until after the publication of the weights on September 5.

YOUNG CHAMPIONS

How does the two-year-old position stand after the various races in which many good-class youngsters were engaged last week? Are we still entitled to reckon the Bosover colt the best of his age seen out? The question now arises whether he will hold his own against Mahmoud the first time they meet over six furlongs. This will be either in the Champagne Stakes or the Middle Park. Mahmoud is thriving so well that I question whether Miss Page's young champion will ever finish so far in front of him again as he did at Ascot. Both are sons of Blenheim, though it cannot be said that either closely resembles that son of Blandford, who has begun his stud career most brilliantly. The Bosover colt is a chestnut favouring his maternal grandsire The Boss, and when the prospects of the Derby of 1936 come to be considered doubts will inevitably arise as to his staying powers.

Mahmoud is a grey, throwing back in type to The Tetrarch. His stamina and courage were alike in strong evidence at Goodwood, and it is questionable whether Frank Butters will be able to produce a better two-year-old before the close of the campaign. Another winner from the same quarter last week was Baber Shah, who would have captured the Rous Memorial Stakes more easily had he not run so green. There is plenty of room for further improvement in this brother to His Reverence, and the Aga Khan was happily inspired when giving 4,000 gns. for him at Doncaster. Another highly promising colt in this stable is Barra Sahib, who did well to finish only half a length behind Sansonnet in the Lavant Stakes. Here we have yet a further example of the splendid stock Blenheim is producing. No wonder the stallion in question, who stands at Marly La Ville, near Paris, is already announced as having a full subscription for two seasons ahead.

Beckhampton did not enjoy such a successful meeting as usual, Sansonnet and Thrustaway providing its only victories. The first was bred at home from that remarkable mare Lady Juror, and the other hails from the National Stud. She now looks well worth the 3,200 gns. given for her a year ago. It should not be long before Fred Darling wins a good race with Wild Huntress, who ran the superbly speedy Crosspatch to a short head in the Molecomb Stakes, the weights being 14 lb. in favour of Lord Woolavington's filly. But among the young members of her sex nothing made a greater impression during the week than Tide-way, whose effortless success in the Ham Stakes was in marked contrast with her failure at Sandown. She was the easiest winner of the whole meeting, and must take rank for the time being as the smartest of her sex.

Owing to the absence of Fair Trial the meeting threw no new light on the St. Leger outlook, and we have to wait for the Hurst Park fixture this month before we can expect any change in the classic situation. After Ascot the Aga Khan made up his mind that Bahram should not run again until Doncaster, but apparently it is now considered advisable that he should have an outing for the purpose of sharpening him up for the last of his classic tests. The Richemount Stakes is the race selected for him, and a day later we shall probably see Field Trial in the Hyperion Stakes. No doubt these arrangements are contingent on the state of the course. If the present month is as short in its rainfall as July we may be sure that no preliminary risks will be taken with the first and second favourites for the St. Leger. With four meetings under Jockey Club Rules and one National Hunt fixture there will be plenty of Bank Holiday racing. Then the second half of the Sussex fortnight will be proceeded with at Brighton and Lewes, where big crowds will not worry if the racing falls as it must inevitably do, a good deal below the exceptional Goodwood standard.

LOCAL TENNIS

Indians Beaten

Several games in the "B" Division of the Tennis League were decided yesterday. The most notable being the defeat of the Indians by the H.K.C.C. by 8 sets to one.

The winners showed good form and thoroughly deserved the win. The following were the scores:—

M. R. Abbas and A. R. Abbas (I.R.C. "B")
lost to Bowker and Valentine 2-8
lost to McKenzie and Gamble 4-8
lost to Monahan and Eckford 3-8
S. A. R. Buz and T. Hamet (I.R.C. "B")
lost to Bowker and Valentine 3-8
lost to McKenzie and Gamble 3-8
lost to Monahan and Eckford 2-8
M. U. Razack and A. Rahim (I.R.C. "B")
lost to Bowker and Valentine 2-8
beat McKenzie and Gamble 6-3
lost to Monahan and Eckford 2-8

DOCKS TEAM WINS

In a "D" Division League match at the K.B.G.C. the home team were beaten by the Kowloon Docks by 6 sets to 3.

The home team was playing a mediocre type of tennis and the visitors had no difficulty in beating them. The scores were:—
O'Connell and Bland (K.B.G.C.)
lost to Millard and Hast 0-6
beat Tillery and Pearson 6-3
beat Sturgeon and Fingalson 6-2
Waterson and Miller (K.B.G.C.)
lost to Millard and Hast 0-6
lost to Tillery and Pearson 3-6
lost to Sturgeon and Fingalson 4-6
Duncan and Tetley (K.B.G.C.)
lost to Millard and Hast 2-6
drew with Tillery and Pearson 6-6
drew with Sturgeon and Fingalson 6-6

AQUATICS

R.A.M.C. Sports

The 27th Company, R.A.M.C. held their 4th Annual Aquatic Sports at the Y.M.C.A. bath yesterday. There was a large attendance and amongst those present were Col. Blake and Mrs. Blake, Col. Williams, Col. Hertgrill, Col. Trumble, and Captain Quinlan.

The events were keenly contested, and though it was not of a high standard, there was no lack of enthusiasm.

At the conclusion of the sports Mrs. Blake presented the prizes.

The results were:—

50 Yards (Officers Rate)

1—Capt. Quinlan.
2—Col. Blake.
3—Col. Williams.

High Diving

1—Stidton.
2—Huges.
3—Saunders.

Under Water Race

1—Huges.
2—Pym.
3—Lloyda.

Mixed Relay

1—Officers.
2—Privates.

50 Yards (Championship)

1—Col. Hertgrill.
2—Wright.
3—Col. Trumble.

Novice's Race (25 Yards)

1—Underwood.
2—Lucas.
3—Davies.

50 Yards (Handicaps)

1—Wright.
2—Saunders.
3—Battersop.

Children's Race (25 Yards)

1—Bonavia.
2—Newcombe.
3—J. Newcombe.

50 Yards (Breast Stroke)

1—Huges.
2—Mihell.
3—Rym.

Inter-Coy. Relay

1—Hong Kong Section.
2—Officers.

Consolation Race

1—Staff Sgt. Payne.
2—Corp. Eagle.
3—Corp. Meadows.

The Water Polo game between the Red and the Officers was won by the former by 3 goals to nil.

LAWN BOWLS DRAW

Rearranged Fixtures

The draw for the semi-finals of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Championship took place yesterday afternoon at the meeting of the sub-committee of the Hong Kong Lawn Bowls Association held at St. George's Building in which Mr. H. Nish presided.

The draw for the semi-finals of the Open Singles resulted as follows:—

H. A. Alves v. F. Cullen, C.C.C. green—Wednesday, August 28.
B. W. Bradbury v. H. Overy, K.B.G.C. green—Wednesday, August 28.

G. N. Mitchell v. J. C. Brown, C.S.C.C. green—Thursday, August 29.

A. M. Holland v. R. Duncan, Club de Recreio green—Thursday, August 29.

The finals of the Rink Championship will take place on August 25 (Sunday) on the Kowloon Cricket Club green, when Mr. C. J. Tacchi will umpire the game.

The final of the Pairs, Championship between Medina and Cavanha v. R. Duncan and L. A. R. Duncan will take place on August 27 (Tuesday) on the Civil Service Cricket Club green, when Mr. F. J. Jones will umpire. The game is scheduled to commence at 4.30 p.m.

The Rink Championship Finals will commence at 3.30 p.m.

The draw for the Gutierrez Shield, resulted as follows:—

India v. Scotland, Club de Recreio green—September 1.
Philippines v. Malaya, Talkoo green, September 1.
Portugal v. England (bye).

RE-ARRANGED FIXTURES

The following fixtures which will be recalled were washed out by rain have been re-arranged as under:—

August 31.

P.R.C. v. C.C.C. "A"
K.C.C. v. C.S.C.C.
K.D.R.C. v. C. de R.
C.C.C. "B" v. I.R.C.

September 7.

C.C.C. "A" v. K.D.R.C.
C. de R. v. C.S.C.C.
K.B.G.C. v. I.R.C.
P.R.C. v. C.C.C. "B"

September 14.

C.C.C. "A" v. I.R.C.
C.S.C.C. v. K.B.G.C.
K.C.C. v. K.D.R.C.
C. de R. v. C.C.C. "B"

September 21.

C.S.C.C. v. P.R.C.
C.C.C. "A" v. K.B.G.C.
K.C.C. v. C.C.C. "B"
C.S.C.C. v. I.R.C.

2ND DIVISION

August 31.

C.C.C. v. P.R.C.
C.S.C.C. v. K.C.C.
H.K.E. v. Yacht Club.
K.B.G.C. v. H.K.F.C.

September 7.

T.R.C. v. C.C.C.
C.S.C.C. v. C. de R.
H.K.E. v. P.R.C.
H.K.F.C. v. K.C.C.

September 14.

H.K.E. v. C.C.C.
K.B.G.C. v. C.S.C.C.
T.R.C. v. K.C.C.
Y. Club v. C. de R.

September 21.

Y. Club v. K.B.G.C.
H.K.F.C. v. C.C.C.

TIME CHANGED

It was agreed that the next General Meeting of the Association will be held in the boardroom of the "S. C. M. Post" Building on September 10, when the arrangements for the Interport programme discussed yesterday will be placed before the meeting for their acceptance.

The attention of lawn bowlers is especially drawn to the alteration of the time for the commencement of league encounters on Saturdays as it has been decided owing to the rapidly falling light that is now to be encountered towards the end of a game. All encounters must commence not later than 3.15 p.m.

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April	94.9	74.5	71.4	71.8	71.6	74.6
May	86.2	68.8	67.7	70.7	73.1	72.5
June	86.0	66.6	64.7	70.1	70.1	70.2
July	80.8	64.7	63.2	67.5	68.9	68.7
August	82.1	61.3	60.6	65.9	70.7	
September	81.4	73.0	71.4	67.9	70.3	
October	82.5	77.8	73.2	72.1	73.6	
November	80.4	79.0	73.0	71.8	71.3	
December	87.1	83.6	78.8	76.7	80.7	

BRILLIANT SCENE AT COWES

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London, Aug. 4.
Cowes Week, which in recent years has become too large an occasion to restrict within a bare seven days, was opened to-day with the regatta given by the Royal Southampton Yacht Club. To-day's assembly more than fulfils the expectation that this will be the best Cowes Week since the war. It is probably the best that even this famous yachting centre has ever known. Not only are the entries for all the races unusually numerous, but the muster of cruising vessels also far exceeds those seen in previous years. Nor is it possible to miss the happy significance which the King's Silver Jubilee gives to this always happy festival, for sailing is a sport in which His Majesty, especially delights.

The King was racing again to-day in his old Britannia, the historic vessel which has carried the royal racing colours for forty-two years. Britannia's competitors include all the big class, namely, Endeavour (Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith), Astra (Mr. H. F. Paul), Shamrock (Mr. C. R. Fairley), Velsheda (Mr. W. L. Stephenson), Candida (Mr. H. A. Andrae), and the American yacht Yankee (Mr. G. B. Lambert).

A BRILLIANT FLEET
This is the finest fleet of big racers ever seen in any waters at any time. Britannia and her famous rivals form but one out of more than a dozen classes which were racing here to-day. There were nine big cruising type vessels in the event, for handicap yachts over 30 tons. There were seven in the 12-metre race, thirteen in the smaller handicap class, fourteen in the eight-metre race, while the number of starters in the remaining events totalled eighty-five.

The long expanse of the Solent was thickly flecked with white sails all day. But if the landsman tired for a moment or became too puzzled by this beautiful confusion, there was always the spectacle of the anchored fleet to engage, and impress him. Here, in Cowes Roads, is a yachting scene more varied and more lovely than can be seen elsewhere in the world. Though it is on a larger scale than usual, the picture is formed just as we had become accustomed to it in former years. In the distance is the mighty grey bulwark of H.M.S. Rodney. Nearer, inshore, is the Royal yacht, Victoria and Albert, now, as always, the most regal vessel afloat, and, astern of her, attendant H.M.S. Crusader.

In the waters between us and her are anchored cruising yachts of every size, type and rig, as dense as they can be packed. Conspicuous though is Mr. G. B. Lambert's great, three-masted schooner, Atlantic, whose reputation was won in the Trans-Atlantic race of 1905 which she won by a crossing of twelve days. One cannot identify them all, however, and presently one is content to gaze from yacht to yacht, admiring their shapely hulls of black, white, blue, or green, and marvel at their intricacies of rigging and peculiarities of sail.

LIGHT BREEZES
The single drawback to the day was that the Royal Standard and a thousand other flags on other vessels persisted in drooping limply from their masts. So little wind much harms the racing, though, in the Solent, with its

tides and stray local breezes, it cannot quite spoil it.

The racing yachts were all sent to the eastward, and it was the strong eastgoing tide rather than the breeze which got them under way. The big boats had a course which took them first out to the Warner Lightvessel, which meant a beat to windward in the very faintest of airs. Endeavour made a splendid start, though Shamrock and Candida were very close astern. Yankee and Britannia were not so well placed, but it was not long before the American got going, and soon she was up with the leaders.

Endeavour, meanwhile, had made inshore for a breeze which could be detected on the Hampshire side. Some of the others saw what was happening, and also made for the breeze. Endeavour now had the breeze, however, and she was beginning to travel at a smart pace. Yankee was nearly abreast of her, but a good bit down to leeward.

DRIFTING TO THE FINISH
Coming back from the Warner the big yachts were in almost line ahead formation with Endeavour leading and Astra not far astern. In their wake came Velsheda, Britannia, Yankee, and Shamrock, with Candida last. Passing through Cowes Roads they made for the Hampshire shore, and here their troubles began.

The breeze had died away to a complete calm of the thundery sort. Hence they were a very long time making the Solent Banks Buoy. What was worse, the tide now turned against them, so that they were faced with a turn to windward with too few vagrant airs with which to stem the tide. The King had been aboard the Britannia seven hours of a tedious race, and it began to seem as though the vessels, now almost becalmed, would not get to their moorings till very late.

At 6.30 p.m. Britannia abandoned the race, and was taken in tow by H.M.S. Tiverton. Half an hour later the boats were still a mile or more from the line, with Astra apparently holding a winning lead and Endeavour lying a good second. Astra did better than Endeavour in light airs, and though the latter finished ahead, Astra saved her time and won on her allowance by a little more than a minute.

The corrected times were:—

	H. M. S.
Astra (winner)	7 21 6
Endeavour (second)	7 22 14
Velsheda (third)	7 45 17
Yankee (fourth)	7 55 3
Candida	—

Britannia, and Shamrock gave up. The 12-metre International Class was, rather more fortunate, getting home in the following order:—

	H. M. S.
Westra (Mr. A. C. Con-	
nell) (winner)	4 25 32
Zelita (Mr. G. F. Carrington) (second)	4 27 35
Miquette (Mr. H. L. Wes-	
sels)	4 29 22

The race for the Handicap Class between 9 and 30 tons was won by Mrs. Alfred Cross's Thetis, with Col. F. H. Cleaver's If second, and Mr. Col'n McNeill's Elm third.

The 8-metre International Class resulted in a win for Wye (Mr. A. W. Barlow), with Carrion (Mr. J. L. Lewis) second, and Sagitta (Messrs. C. E. and A. W. Nicholson) third.

U. S. BASEBALL

Making Up Lost Ground

New York, Aug. 20.

The New York Yankees made a further recovery of lost ground in the American Baseball League to-day when they won another match against the top team, the Detroit Tigers.

The Tigers, who are, however, well ahead, were beaten by a single run although they actually registered more hits than did the Yankees who also made one error more than the Tigers.

The Athletics and the White Sox were again engaged in a double header, which this time went to the Chicago outfit.

The New York Giants, leaders of the National League, won another match and seem certain to win the championship, their consistent form being one of the features of this year's matches.

Results of to-day's fixtures follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Pittsburgh	2 25 0
Brooklyn	0 5 3

(Weaver blanked out the Dodgers.)

St. Louis	6 8 1
Boston	5 12 1

(Rothrock and Medwick scored home runs for the Cardinals.)

Cincinnati	5 12 1
New York	6 15 1

(There were ten innings. Ott and Leiber scored home runs for the Giants.)

The match between the Chicago Cubs and Philadelphia Phillies was postponed on account of rain.

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	R. H. E.
Philadelphia	4 11 1
Chicago	13 15 1

(Jimmy Fox scored a home run for the Athletics and Simmons and Sewell for the White Sox.)

Philadelphia	4 11 0
Chicago	11 12 0

(Jimmy Fox scored a home run for the Athletics.)

Boston	5 11 1
St. Louis	8 15 1

(Golters scored a home run for the Browns.)

Boston	7 14 3
St. Louis	3 12 0

New York	6 8 2
Detroit	5 10 1

(Ben Chapman scored a home run for the Yankees and Greenberg for the Tigers.)

Washington	2 7 3
Cleveland	4 9 2

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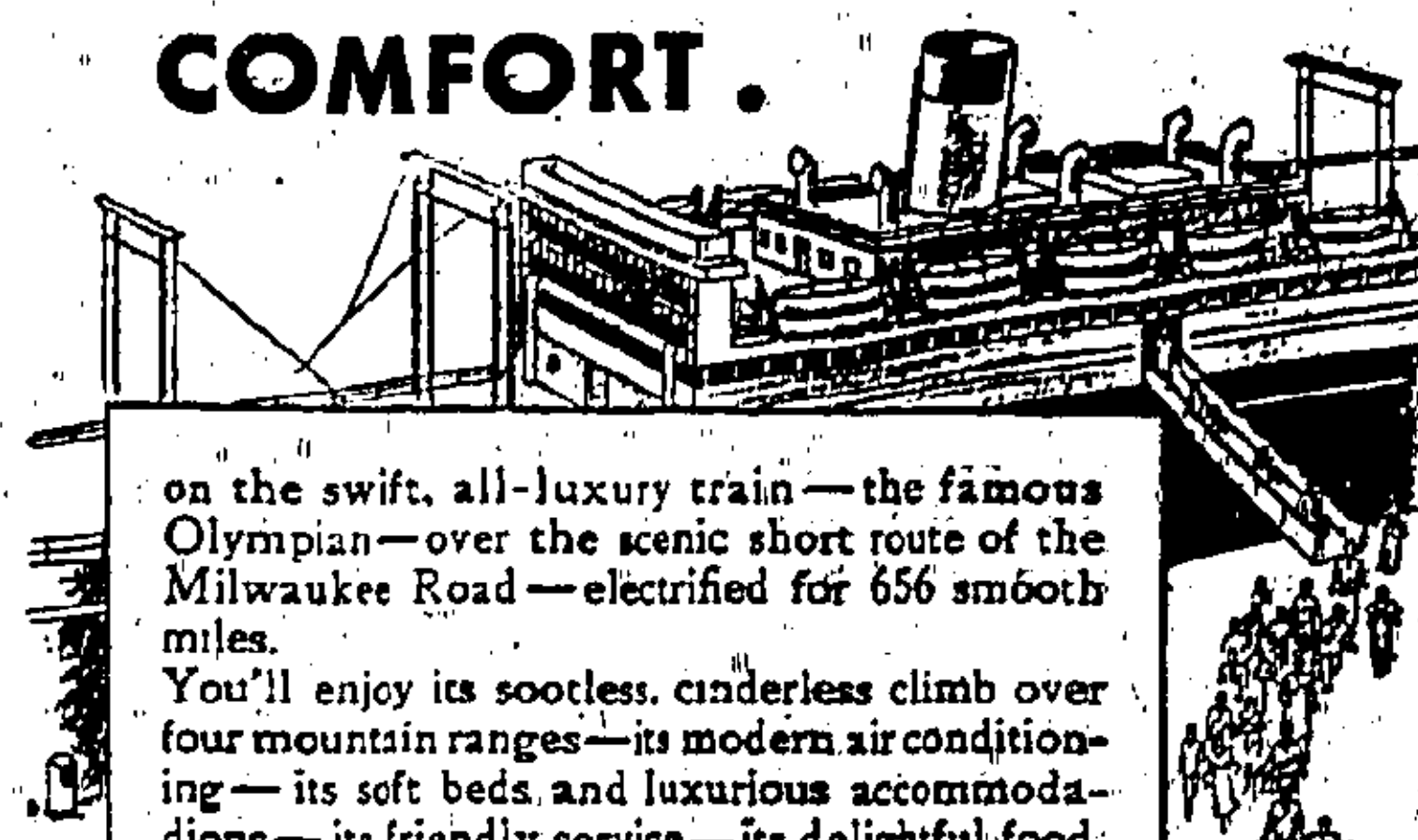
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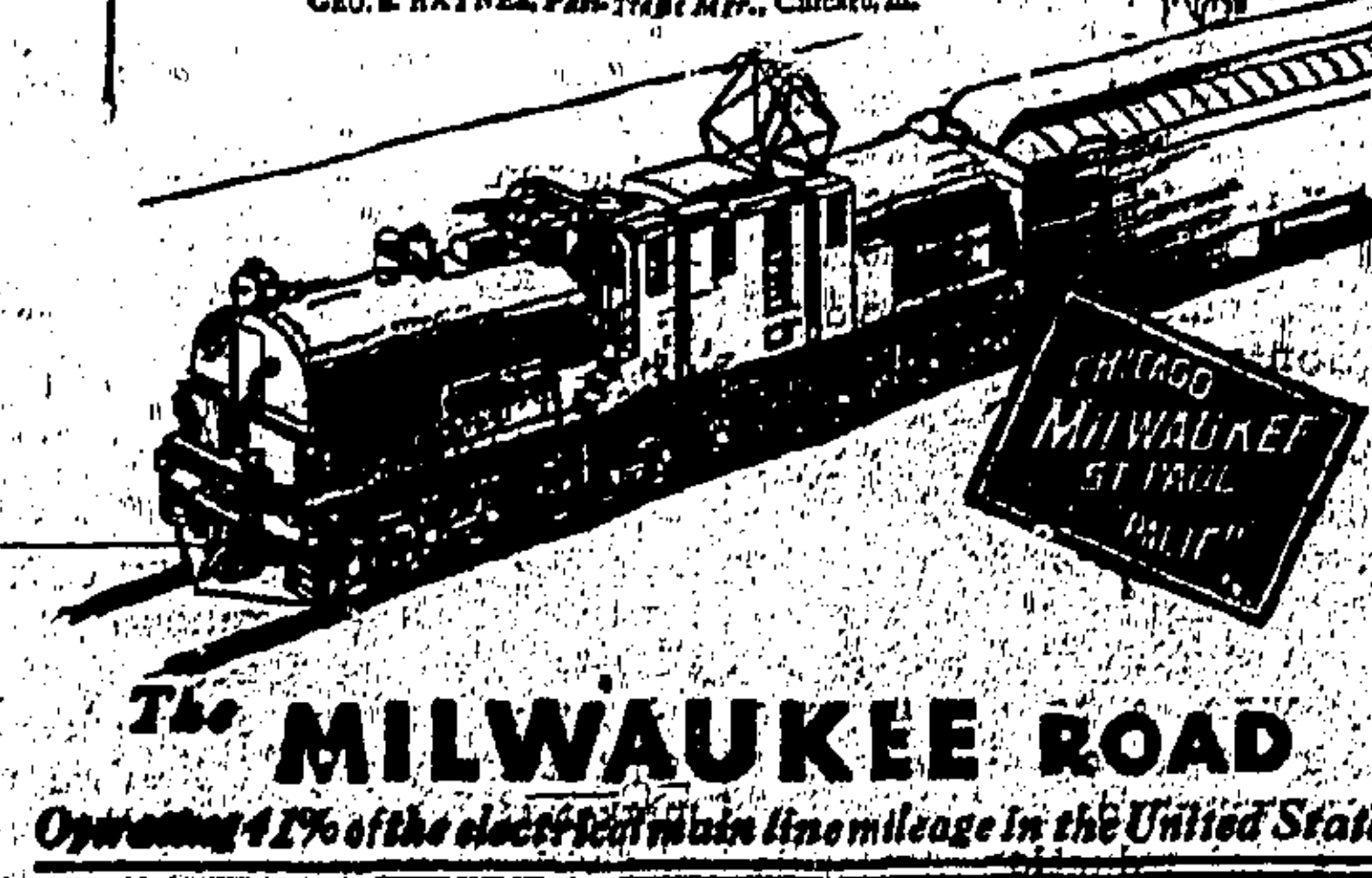


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...	...	...	Do. Debentures S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Hanphray	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	New Asia Hotel	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Asia Realities 'A' S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. 'B' S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Chinese Estates	...	...	...	...
Cotton Mills							
...	...	...	Ewos	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Shai Cotton Mills S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Zoung Sings S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Wing On Textiles S.	...	...	...	...
Public Utilities							
...	...	...	Tramways	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Peak Trans (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Star Furnes	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Yamato Ferries	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	China Lights	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Electric	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Macao	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Sanctuary Light	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Telephones (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	China Buses S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Tramways	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (pref.)	...	...	...	...
Industrials							
...	...	...	Malabon Sugars	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Caldbeck, (ord.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Macgregor (pref.) S.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Canton Ice	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Cement	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Hopes	...	...	...	...
Miscellaneous							
...	...	...	Dairy Farms	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Amusement	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Ch. Raimonts	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Constructions (old)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. (new)	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Lane Crawford	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Macintosh	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Nanyang Tobacco	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Sincere	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Watsons	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Wm. Powell	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	M. Graybouds	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	S. C. Enterprises	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Ch. G. 5% 1936 U.S. Bds.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Govt. 4% Loans	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Do. 3%	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Wallace Harper	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Wing On	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	H.K. Do.	...	...	...	...
...	...	...	Vibro Piling	...	...	...	...

NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

(Through Reuters Agency)

QUOTATIONS

New York, August 21.

	High	Low	Close	Today's	Change
New York/London Cross-rate	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	1/2 up
New York Cotton—Oct.	11.32	11.18	11.42	11.32	10 1/2
New York Rubber—Sept.	11.34	11.75	11.81	11.84	3 1/2 up
Chicago Wheat—Sept.	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	3 up
Chicago Corn—Sept.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	3 up
Montreal Silver—Dec.	65.75	65.35	65.50	65.35	1/2 off
Silver—Official	—	—	65 1/2	65 1/2	unchanged

Dow Jones Averages	High—1934/35	Low: Aug. 19.	Aug. 20.	Change
30 Industrials	128.94	128.33	128.31	1/2 off
20 Rail	52.96	52.11	52.53	1/2 up
20 Utilities	31.03	30.39	30.71	1/2 up
40 Bonds	97.47	97.43	97.43	1/2 off
11 Commodity Index	68.25	68.10	68.10	45 up

Business Done:—1,920,000 shares.

Stock & Div.	Last Sale	Aug. 19	20	Stock & Div.	Last Sale	Aug. 19	20
Adams Express	34	34	34	Gold Dust (1.20)	16 1/2	16 1/2	16 1/2
Amer. Can. (4)	139	139	139	Goodyear	20	20	20
Am. Cyanamid "B"	22 1/2	22 1/2	22 1/2	Int. Cement	28 1/2	28 1/2	28 1/2
Am. For. Pwr. (25d)	8 1/2	8 1/2	8 1/2	Int. Nickel (80)	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2
Am. For. Pwr. 7 1/2	38	38	38	Int. Tel. & Tel.	62 1/2	62 1/2	62 1/2
Am. Locomotive	104	104	104	Johns Manville	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2
Am. Radiator	18 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2	Kennecott (151)	41	40 1/2	40 1/2
Am. Smelting	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	Kew's (1)	24 1/2	24 1/2	24 1/2
Am. T. and T. (9)	140	137 1/2	137 1/2	Loth. (1.20)	71	70 1/2	70 1/2
Am. Tob. "B" (5)	100 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2	Mont. Ward	34	34 1/2	34 1/2
Am. Waterworks (1)	16	17 1/2	17 1/2	Nat. City Bk. (1)	31 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2
Am. Waterworks 36	76	77	77	Nat. Da. P. (1.20)	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2
Atch. T. and S. F.	18 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2	Nat. Distillers	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
(25d)	51 1/2	51 1/2	51 1/2	Nat. Pwr. Lt. (80)	12 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Auburn Automobile	33 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	N.Y. Central	22 1/2	23	23
Baltimore & Ohio	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	N. Amer. (50c. 4% S)	22 1/2	23	23
Bethlehem Steel	35 1/2	36 1/2	36 1/2	Pac. Gas (1.50)	27	27 1/2	27 1/2
Boeing Airplane	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	Pac. Ling. (3)	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Borden Co. (1.60)	45 1/2	46	46	Packard Motors	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2
Borg. Warner (1d)	65 1/2	65 1/2	65 1/2	Phm. Rly. (1)	27 1/2	27 1/2	27 1/2
Case	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	Phil. Petro (1)	25 1/2	25 1/2	25 1/2
Canadian Pacific	10 1/2	10 1/2	10 1/2	Pub. Ser. N.J. (2.80)	43 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2
Caterpillar Tract	52 1/2	52 1/2	52 1/2	Radio Corp.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Ch. Nat. Bk. (1.40)	37 1/2	37 1/2	37 1/2	Rey. Tob. "B" (3)	54 1/2	54 1/2	54 1/2
C. Peake Corp. (2.50)	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	Schenley	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2
C. Peake Corp. and	45 1/2	45 1/2	45 1/2	Sears Roebuck	58	57	57
Ohio (2.80)	58 1/2	58 1/2	58 1/2	Soc. Vac. (60)	12 1/2	12	12
Chrysler (1d)	12 1/2	13	13	Srn. Cal. Ed. (1.50)	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Col. Gas & Elec.	19 1/2	20	20	Southern Pacific	14 1/2	14 1/2	14 1/2
Comm. Solv. (.60)	19 1/2	20	20	Stan. Gas	90	101	101
Comm. Shrm.	2 1/2	2 1/2	2 1/2	Sta. Oil N.J. (1)	46	45 1/2	45 1/2
Comm. Shrm. 50	60	59	59	Ster. Pro. (2.80)	65 1/2	65	65
cum. Pl. (8)	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	Studebaker Corp.	19 1/2	19 1/2	19 1/2
Cons. Gas, N.Y. (2)	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	Texas G. Sulp. (2)	34 1/2	35	35
Cons. Oil (28)	9 1/2	9 1/2	9 1/2	Transamerica (1.12)	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Cont. Oil (25)	21 1/2	21 1/2	21 1/2	Un. Car. and Carb	63 1/2	63 1/2	63 1/2
Corn Prod. (3)	67 1/2	67 1/2	67 1/2	Un. Pac. Rlys. (6)	99 1/2	99 1/2	99 1/2
Douglas Aircraft	29 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	Un. Aircraft Corp.	17 1/2	18 1/2	18 1/2
Du Pont (2.50)	11 1/2	11 1/2	11 1/2	Un. Air Line Trans.	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2
Elec. Bond & Share 17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2	United Corp.	6	6	6
Elec. Bond \$5 Pf (5)	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Unl. Gas Impr. (1.20)	17 1/2	17 1/2	17 1/2
Elec. Bond \$5 Pf (5)	7 1/2	7 1/2	7 1/2	Univ. Leaf Tob. (2)	60 1/2	61 1/2	61 1/2
Fox Film "A"	15 1/2	15 1/2	15 1/2	U.S. Indus. Alcohol	42	42	42
Gen. Elec. (80)	30 1/2	31 1/2	31 1/2	U.S. Rubber	13 1/2	13 1/2	13 1/2
Gen. Foods (1.80)	34 1/2	34 1/2	34 1/2	U.S. Steel	43 1/2	43 1/2	43 1/2
Gen. Motors (1d)	42 1/2	42 1/2	42 1/2	Vandium	16	16 1/2	16 1/2
Gen. Rly. Sigs (1)	32 1/2	32 1/2	32 1/2	Warner Bros. Picts.	54	54	54
				West E. & M. (55)	64	64 1/2	64 1/2
				Call Money	4 1/2	4 1/2	4 1/2

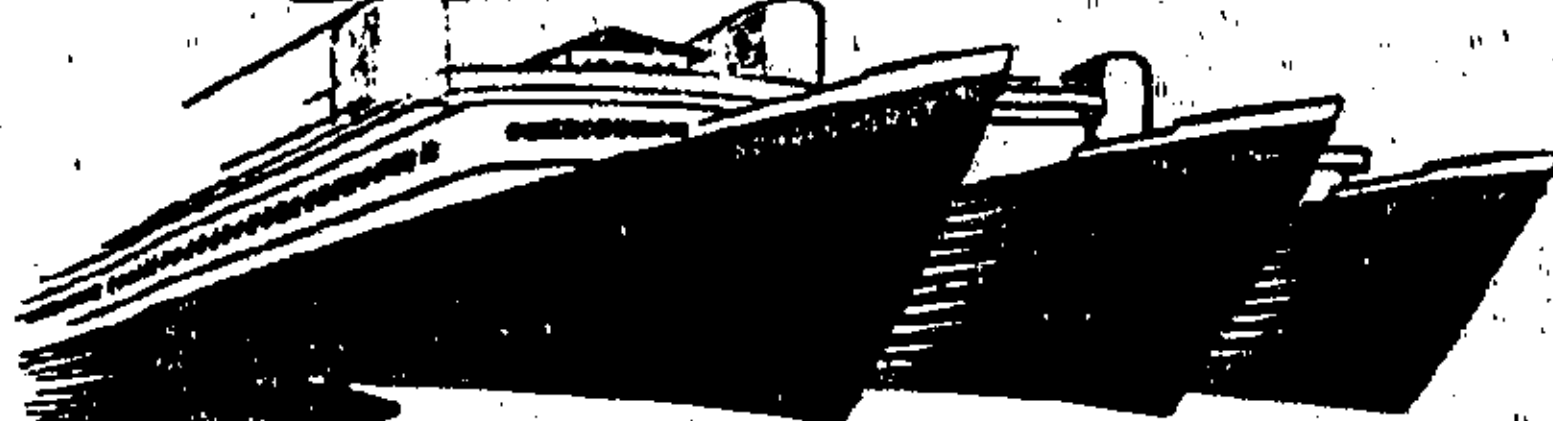
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NEW YORK STOCK AND COMMODITY QUOTATIONS

(Through Reuters Agency)

	Last	Open	August 21	11.00
New York-London	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2	4.98 1/2
Cotton, October	11.32	11.36	11.40	11.35

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H. R. STOCK EXCHANGE

YESTERDAY'S OFFICIAL QUOTATIONS

The lower Exchange has had a slight effect on our market, both Banks and Unions being firm in spite of a drop of £1- in the price of Banks in London. Dairy Farms are in good demand changing hands at \$15, and more shares are wanted. Hong Kong Lands can be placed at \$28, ex the dividend of \$1.00 payable to-day. Star Ferries are also in strong request with no shares offering. Telephones have been done at the improved rate of \$20, and Hong Kong Docks have risen to \$3.00 without bringing out any shares.

BUYERS

Hong Banks, \$1100.
Union Insurance, \$385.
Raubs, \$7.
Hotels, \$3.55.
Hong Kong Lands, \$28 ex div.
Star Ferries, \$78.
Hong Kong Electric, \$59.
Telephones (old), \$20.60.
Singapore Trac. (Pref), 22/6.
Dairy Farms, \$15.
Watsons, \$3.05.
Sinceres, \$5.30.
Govt. 4% Loan, 6 1/2% Prem.
Govt. 3 1/2% Loan, 2% Prem.

SELLERS

Sandakan Lights, \$3.
Cements, \$3.

SALES

Hong Kong Banks, \$1075/1080.
China Lights, \$8.20.
Hong Kong Electric, \$59.
Telephones (old), \$20.

THE EXCHANGE MARKET

MESSRS. RUZA BROS.

The price for Ready Silver was unchanged yesterday but the Forward rate dropped 3/8, the quotations being 29 and 28 9/16 respectively. Silver advices reported India and China as having sold. America bought for spot. After the official fixing spot silver remained steady but the forward rate dropped a further 3/16 owing to heavy Indian sales.

In America the rate was unchanged at 85 1/2 for spot. The London/New York cross-rate was higher at 498 1/4 and the New York/London rose 1/4 to 498 1/4.

Market

Opened weak but subsequently steadied up owing to some selling pressure. Towards the close the market re-acted closing on the weak side.

Sterling

1/11 was on offer after the opening with business done at that rate for cash followed subsequently by transactions at 1/11 1/16, 1/11 1/16, 1/11 3/16, 1/11 1/2 and 1/11 1/2 for various deliveries. At the high rates quoted, the rates were not maintained and towards the close the market weakened and offers at 1/11 1/2 were accepted for near and forward and 1/11 3/16 and 1/11 1/2 were also arranged for near delivery finishing with sellers at 1/11 for near and probably for forward, buyers at 1/11 1/2 for near and forward.

U.S. Dollars

Opened with sellers at 47 1/2. Subsequently business was done at 48 1/2, 48 1/2 and 48 1/2 for near and September. The market closed weak and sellers at 47 1/2 for August/September, buyers at 48 1/2 for near and forward.

Shanghai Dollars

Nominal at 130.
Shanghai Market
The lowest rate done was 1/5 but closed steady at 1/5 13/16. U. S. Dollars—opened with sellers at 38 15/16 and closed at 37 for spot.

EXECHEQUER RETURNS

London, Aug. 20.

The Exchequer returns show that the ordinary revenue, excluding the self-balancing items, amounts to £224,432,128 compared with £218,005,371 at the corresponding date last year.

Revenue from the Customs and Excise is £2,552,000 greater, and the receipts from the estate duties and stamps are also higher, while the yield of income tax despite the concessions of the Finance Act, is only £230,000 less.

The total ordinary expenditure exclusive of the self-balancing items is £278,530,582, against £284,447,334 at the corresponding date of 1934.

British Wireless.

LONDON EXCHANGE RATES

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE)

	Aug. 19.	Aug. 20.
Paris	75 1/8	75 5/8
Geneva	15.21	15.22
Berlin	12.32 1/2	12.34
Athens		517 S.
Milan	60 17/32	60 9/16
Shanghai	1/5 13/16	
New York	497 15/16	498 5/16
Amsterdam	7.33 1/2	7.35
Vienna		
Prague	119 1/2	
Bucharest		
Madrid	36 3/16	36 15/84
Lisbon		
Hong Kong	1/11 15/16	
Brussels	29.44	29.45
Montevideo		
Belgrade		
Montreal	4.99	4.99 1/2
Yokohama		
Helsingfors		
Rio		
Buenos Aires		
Silver (Spot)	29	29
Silver (forward)	28 15/16	28 9/16
War Loan	3 1/2 105 1/2	3 1/2 105 1/2

Closing Quotations

August 21, 1935.		ON NEW YORK:—
On LONDON:—		Bank Bills, on demand 8 1/2
Telegraphic Transfer.....	114	Credits, 60 days sight 8 1/2
Bank Bills, on demand.....		ON BATAVIA:—
Bank Bills, 4 months' sight.....	114	On demand.....
Credits, four months' sight.....	2 1/4	ON PAKIS:—
ON SHANGHAI:—		Bank Bills, on demand 7 1/2
On Demand.....	30	Credits, 4 months' sight 7 1/2
ON SINGAPORE:—		ON SAIGON:—
On Demand.....	83	On demand.....
ON JAPAN:—		ON MANILA:—
On Demand.....	1834	On demand.....
ON INDIA:—		ON BANGKOK:—
Telegraphic Transfer.....	129 1/2	On demand.....
Bank, on demand.....		SOVEREIGNS Bank Buying
		Rate.....
		BAR SILVER, per oz.....

CANTON SILK MARKET

The Kwangtung Raw Silk Testing Bureau, Department of Reconstruction, Canton, China reports the following:

Canton Quotations

August 19, 1935.
Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$410N.
Small Extra O.S. 13/15 H.K. \$280N.
Crack N.S. 14/16 H.K. \$325N.
Extra Extra 20/22 H.K. 292 1/2P.
Waste N.S. Open H.K. \$68N.

Yokohama Quotations

August 20, 1935.
Spot Opening Yen 780
Bourse 6 months Yen 709
New York Quotations
August 19, 1935.
September Bid Ask
December 1.85 1.85
March 1.59 1.59
New York Quotations are obtained through Courtesy of American Oriental Finance Corporation.

SINGAPORE RAW RUBBER

Latest Singapore Prices

MESSRS. BENJAMIN & POTTS
Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from Singapore yesterday for Raw Rubber:

	Buyers	Sellers
Spot	19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.	19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.
September	19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.	19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.
Oct./Dec.	19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.	19 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.
Jan./Mar.	20 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.	20 1/2 cts. up 1 ct.
Market—Steady.		

H. B. JOSEPH & CO.

Messrs. H. B. Joseph & Co. received the following Straits currency quotations from Singapore for Raw Rubber:

	Buyers	Sellers
Spot	19 1/2 up 1	19 1/2
Oct./Dec.	19 1/2 Un.	19 1/2
Jan./Mar.	20 1/2 down 1	20 1/2
Apr./June	21 1/2 down 1	21 1/2
Market—Steady.		

MUST BE STABILISATION

Washington, Aug. 20.
Mr. James A. Moffett, the noted American economist, has just returned from the Far East and has reported his belief that the United States silver purchase policy has not been harmful to China. He said that conditions in China had generally improved, he believed.

Mr. Moffett that eventually there must be stabilisation of the price of silver in order to prevent violent fluctuations on the Exchange markets, says—*Reuter*.

SAFETY IN MINES

London, Aug. 20.
The thirtieth annual report of the safety in mines by the Research Board states that during

VESSELS DUE

Adriatic, B. & S., September 9.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Sept. 21.
Annam, E. A. Co., September 4.
Antenor, B. & S., September 13.
Asama Maru, N.Y.K., August 23.
Athos II, Messageries, September 7.
Australia, Messageries, August 22.
Behar, P. & O., August 30.
Bessa, Thoresen's, September 11.
Burdwan, P. & O., September 3.
Chastine Maersk, Jebens, Sept. 22.
Chenouaveux, Messageries, August 28.
Chinese Prince, Furness, August 23.
City of Bristol, Bank Line, Sept. 12.
City of Elwood, States & Co., Aug. 24.
City of Hereford, Bank Line, Sept. 9.
City of Singapore, Bank Line, Sept. 7.
Conte Rosso, Lloyd Trieste, Sept. 1.
D'Arctagnan, Messageries, August 24.
Empress of Asia, C.P.S., September 14.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., September 17.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., August 30.
Ermland, Jebens, August 31.
Eumaeus, B. & S., September 23.
Friderun, Melchers, September 22.
General Pershing, States Co., Aug. 30.
Gen. Sherman, States & Co., Sept. 20.
Golden Mountain, States & Co., Sept. 2.
Hakodate Maru, N.Y.K., August 28.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., August 30.
Hellas, Thoresen's, August 23.
Hellas, Thoresen's, August 30.
Himalaya Maru, O.S.K., August 31.
Hiram, Thoresen's, September 6.
Hosang, Jardine's, August 30.
Ikon, B. & S., September 6.
Katori Maru, N.Y.K., August 30.
Kitsano Maru, N.Y.K., August 23.
Kongo Maru, O.S.K., August 28.
Kosmos, B. & S., August 28.
Kuria Maru, O.S.K., September 5.
Mantua, P. & O., September 11.
Mann, B. & S., August 30.
Nagara, Gilman's, September 3.
Nankai Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Nankai, E. & A. S.S. Co., Sept. 4.
Neckar, Melchers, September 14.
Nora Maersk, Jebens, August 28.
Oder, Melchers, September 5.
Panama, P.A. Co., September 14.
Pleasantville, Bank Line, August 25.
Potsdam, Melchers, September 3.
Pres. Grant, A.M. Line, September 6.
Pres. Hayes, Dollar's, August 30.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, August 29.
Pres. Lincoln, Dollar's, September 27.
Pres. McKinley, A.M. Line, August 23.
Ranchi, P. & O., August 23.
Rajputana, P. & O., September 4.
Rhein, Jebens, August 24.
Rheinland, Jebens, September 12.
Roseville, Bank Line, September 20.
Ruh, Jebens, September 2.
Sable, Melchers, August 23.
Santos Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Sarpedon, B. & S., August 22.
Shantung, Gilman's, September 18.
Shantung, Lloyd Trieste, August 22.
Tai Ping, Dollar's, September 17.
Tahiti, B. & S., September 10.
Tanda, E. & A. S.S. Co., August 28.
Tango Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Taniwa, B. & S., September 25.
Tania, B. (Apar), August 25.
Tibetania, B. & S., August 28.
Tilawa, B. (Apar), September 17.
Tjaskantang, J.C.J. Line, August 31.
Tjaskantang, J.C.J. Line, August 31.
Tokio Maru, O.S.K., August 22.
Totori Maru, N.Y.K., August 27.
Trianon, Thoresen's, August 26.
Trave, Melchers, September 13.
Tweedbank, Bank Line, September 24.

last summer, a total of 4,600 miners and mines officials visited the research station at Burton; an increase of 1,700 over the previous highest number. The visitors included boys who had obtained "Safety Badges" at the winter classes for instruction in safety in the various mining areas.

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Pres. Taft Oct. 23, 6 a.m.	

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Pres. Grant Sept. 7, 6 p.m.

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CONSIGNEE NOTICES.

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NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM NAVIGATION CO.'s STEAMER "RANPURA"

ARRIVED HONG KONG ON

21st AUGUST, 1935.

FROM ANTWERP, LONDON, GIBRALTAR, MARSEILLES, MALTA, PORT SAID, ADEN, COLOMBO AND STRAITS.

CONSIGNEES OF Cargo by the

above-named Vessel are hereby informed that their Goods are being landed and placed at warehouse in the Hong Kong and Kowloon Wharf and Godown Company's Godowns at Kowloon where each Consignment will be sorted out Mark by Mark and Delivery can be obtained at the Godowns as landed.

Optional Goods will be landed here unless Instructions have been given to the contrary Six Hours before arrival of the Steamer.

Goods not cleared within 8 days including date of arrival will be subject to Rent.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before 10th Sept., 1935, or they will not be recognized.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Godown.

MACKINNON, MACKENZIE & Co., Agents.
Hong Kong, 21st August, 1935. [3754]

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CONSIGNEES per Co.'s Vessel

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will be discharged into Halls' Wharf, Kowloon, where it will be at Consignees' risk and subject to Terms and Conditions of Storage at Halls' Wharf. The Cargo will be ready for Delivery from Godown on and after 30th Aug.

Optional Cargo will not be landed here, unless Notice has been given prior to Vessel's arrival, but carried on from port to port to the final port of call to which the option extends.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown, where they will be examined on any Tuesdays and Fridays between the hours of 10 a.m. and Noon within the Free Storage period.

No Claims will be admitted after the Goods have left the Vessel's Godown and all Goods remaining undelivered after the 27th Aug., will be subject to Rent.

No Claims against the Vessel must be presented to the Underwriter on or before the 10th Sept., or they will not be recognized.

No Fire Insurance will be effected by us in any case whatever.

Damaged Packages must be left in the Godowns for examination by the Consignees and the Company's surveyors, Messrs. Goddard & Douglas, at 10 a.m. on Mondays and Thursdays, within the Free Storage period.

Consignees are specially notified that it is necessary for a Revenue Officer to be present at the examination of damaged dutiable cargo.

All Claims against the Steamer must be presented to the Underwriter on or before 10th Sept., 1935, or they will not be recognized.

To comply with the General Bonded Warehouse Regulations, consignees must have a Revenue Officer in attendance when damaged dutiable goods are examined.

All broken, chafed and damaged Goods are to be left in the Godown, where they will be examined on the 2nd and 5th Sept., at 10 a.m. by Messrs. Goddard & Douglas.

No Fire Insurance has been effected. Bills of Lading will be withheld until the Goods are cleared.

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Hong Kong, 21st August, 1935. [3752]

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	Hong Kong	Shanghai	Nagasaki	Kobe	Yokohama	Honolulu	Vancouver
	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Leave	Arrive
E/Japan	Jan. 14	Jan. 18		Jan. 19	Jan. 21	Jan. 27	Feb. 1
E/Asia	Jan. 19	Jan. 31	Feb. 2	Feb. 4	Feb. 6		Feb. 15
E/Canada	Feb. 11	Feb. 13		Feb. 16	Feb. 18	Feb. 25	Mar. 1
E/Russia	Feb. 26	Feb. 28	Mar. 1	Mar. 3	Mar. 5		Mar. 14
E/Japan	Mar. 6	Mar. 8		Mar. 11	Mar. 13	Mar. 19	Mar. 24
E/Asia	Mar. 30	Mar. 22	Mar. 24	Mar. 26	Mar. 28		April 6
E/Canada	April 3	April 5		April 8	April 10	April 17	April 23
E/Russia	April 17	April 19	April 21	April 23	April 25		May 4
E/Japan	May 1	May 3		May 6	May 8	May 14	May 19
E/Asia	May 15	May 17	May 19	May 21	May 23		June 1
E/Canada	May 29	May 31		June 3	June 5	June 12	June 17
E/Russia	June 12	June 14	June 16	June 18	June 20		June 29
E/Japan	June 26	June 28		July 1	July 3	July 9	July 14
E/Asia	July 10	July 12	July 14	July 16	July 18		July 27
E/Canada	July 24	July 26		July 29	July 31	Aug. 7	Aug. 12

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FRIDAY, AUGUST 23rd.

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EMPRESS OF ASIA ... Sept. 14th.

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KASIMA MARU ... Saturday, 1st Sept.

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KITANO MARU ... Saturday, 3rd Aug.

ATSUTA MARU ... Saturday, 28th Sept.

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BAKODATE MARU ... Wednesday, 28th Aug.

GENOA MARU ... Sunday, 8th Sept.

SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

TANGO MARU ... Tuesday, 27th Aug.

HAKONE MARU ... Friday, 30th Aug.

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D'ARTAGNAN ... 24th Aug.

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SPRING ... 19th Oct.

CHERONCEAUX ... 2nd Nov.

To MANILA via Saigon, Singapore,

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Shipping News

Daily Statement, Clearances, Ships in Harbour, etc.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

IMPORTS 18,600 TONS;
THROUGH CARGO
23,800 TONS

The returns, shown at the Harbour Office of vessels carrying cargo to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday were:—

British Cargo for Through H.K. Ports.

Tal Yuan, Canton ... 203

Hal Ching, Hoihow ... 122

Glenshiel, Rort Swam ... 1,350

Anshun, Amoy ... 1,213

Hop Sang, Tsingtau ... 725

Sirdhana, Singapore ... 777

King Yuan, Swatow ... 1,471

Selstan, Swatow ... 40

Teucer, Singapore ... 1,051

Norwegian Helmsford, Shanghai ... 800

Roseville, Shanghai ... 70

Danish Australien, Manila ... 4,000

Swedish Canton, Manila ... 983

Dutch Cremer, Swatow ... 749

Tjibadak, Sourabaya ... 5,086

Japanese Fukuen Maru, Canton ... 2,012

Nankai Maru, Cebu ... 2,012

Chinese Eng Lee, Tsingtau ... 500

Yung An, Shanghai ... 500

Total ... 13,688

23,884

ASIATIC DECK PASSENGERS

The following vessels brought Asiatic deck passengers to the Colony during the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday:—

Tal Yuan (Br.), Canton ... 47

Hal Ching (Br.), Hoihow ... 325

Anshun (Br.), Amoy ... 10

Hop Sang (Br.), Tsingtau ... 12

Sirdhana (Br.), Singapore ... 362

King Yuan (Br.), Swatow ... 128

Selstan (Br.), Swatow ... 248

Teucer (Br.), Singapore ... 12

Cremer (Dut.), Swatow ... 952

Tjibadak (Dut.), Sourabaya ... 397

Total ... 2,473

ARRIVALS

21ST AUGUST.

Szechuen, British steamer, 1,594 tons, Captain W. T. Paul, from Shanghai via Swatow, buoy No. B13—Butterfield and Swire.

Rampura, British steamer, 9,331 tons, Captain E. J. W. Carter, from London via Singapore, Kowloon Wharf—M. M. & Co.

Emp. of Russia, British steamer, 8,789 tons, Captain W. Kinley, from Manila, Kowloon Wharf—C. P. R.

Hal Yuan, Chinese steamer, 2,078 tons, Captain J. M. Johannesen, from Canton, buoy No. B12—C. M. S. N. & Co.

Hal Tan, British steamer, 2,225 tons, Captain O. H. Farrer, from Foochow and Amoy via Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.

Hal Heng, Chinese steamer, 2,065 tons, Captain C. C. Ma, from Shanghai via Swatow, buoy No. B5—C. M. S. N. & Co.

Canton Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,847 tons, Captain H. Misaka, from Swatow, buoy No. B9—O. S. K.

Cremer, Dutch steamer, 2,785 tons, Captain J. de Groot, from Amoy via Swatow, buoy No. A5—J. C. J. Line.

Nankai Maru, Japanese steamer, 5,114 tons, Captain O. Mutoh, from Cebu, buoy No. A2—O. S. K.

20TH AUGUST.

Eng Lee, Chinese steamer, 859 tons, Captain H. Osek, from Dairen via Tsingtau, buoy No. B18—Yee Tai Hong.

Hague Maru, Japanese steamer, 3,452 tons, Capt. T. Urayama, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf—O. S. K.

Fukuen Maru, Japanese steamer, 1,548 tons, Captain N. Hirose, from Canton, buoy No. B17—O. S. K.

Teucer, British steamer, 5,762 tons, Capt. C. Melling, from Singapore, Holt's Wharf—B. & S.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR

WHARVES

Kowloon: Sirdhana, Empress of Russia, Rampura, Hague Maru and Bremerhaven.

Holt's—Glenshiel and Teucer. Douglas Laprak—Hal Yang and Hal Tan.

Chiu On—Hydrangea.

DOCKS

Kowloon: Fingal, Clara Jensen, Havdrot, Tak Sang and Silver Sandal.

Talkoo: H.M.S. Olympus, Hunan, King Lee, Tehekaim, Glenshiel, Ninghai, Sopchow, Wing Wo and Hang Cheong.

BUOYS

No. A2—Nankai Maru. No. A3—Canton.

No. A4—Tung On. No. A5—Cremer.

No. A8—Tyndarus. No. A9—Tjibadak.

No. A11—Meigen Maru. No. B2—Sandviken.

CLEARANCES

21ST AUGUST.

Glenshiel, for Shanghai. Sandviken, for Swatow. Selstan, for Swatow.

Josefina, for Swatow. Eng Lee, for Canton. Hague Maru, for Dairen.

Canton, for Haiphong. Clara Jensen, for Bangkok. Promise, for Bangkok.

Hal Heng, for Canton. Chekiang, for Swatow. Meigen Maru, for Hongay.

Hal Yuan, for Swatow. Tal Yuan, for Amoy. Katangata, for Keelung.

SHIPS IN WIRELESS COMMUNICATION

The list of ships that were expected to be in wireless communication with the Government Radio Office, Hong Kong yesterday:—

President Harrison, Asama Maru, Santos Maru, Hakuyo Maru, General Lee, Kaisar-i-Hind, President Jackson, Arabia Maru, Empress of Japan, Sui An, Petrosiouladria, Min, Changte, Tjinegara, Kyma, Sui Yang, Sumatra, Cremer, President Lincoln, Halkis, Nanshin Maru and Tatsuta Maru.

ARRIVALS AND DEPARTURES

The arrivals and departures during the period under review were:—

British ... 9

American ... 0

Norwegian ... 2

Danish ... 1

Swedish ... 1

Dutch ... 2

Japanese ... 2

Chinese ... 2

Total ... 19

16

The steam ship "Ranchi" left Shanghai for this port on the 20th instant at 3 p.m. and is due here on the 23rd instant at about 7 a.m.

The Blue Funnel steam ship "Telstar" will arrive from Singapore on 25th August, 1935.

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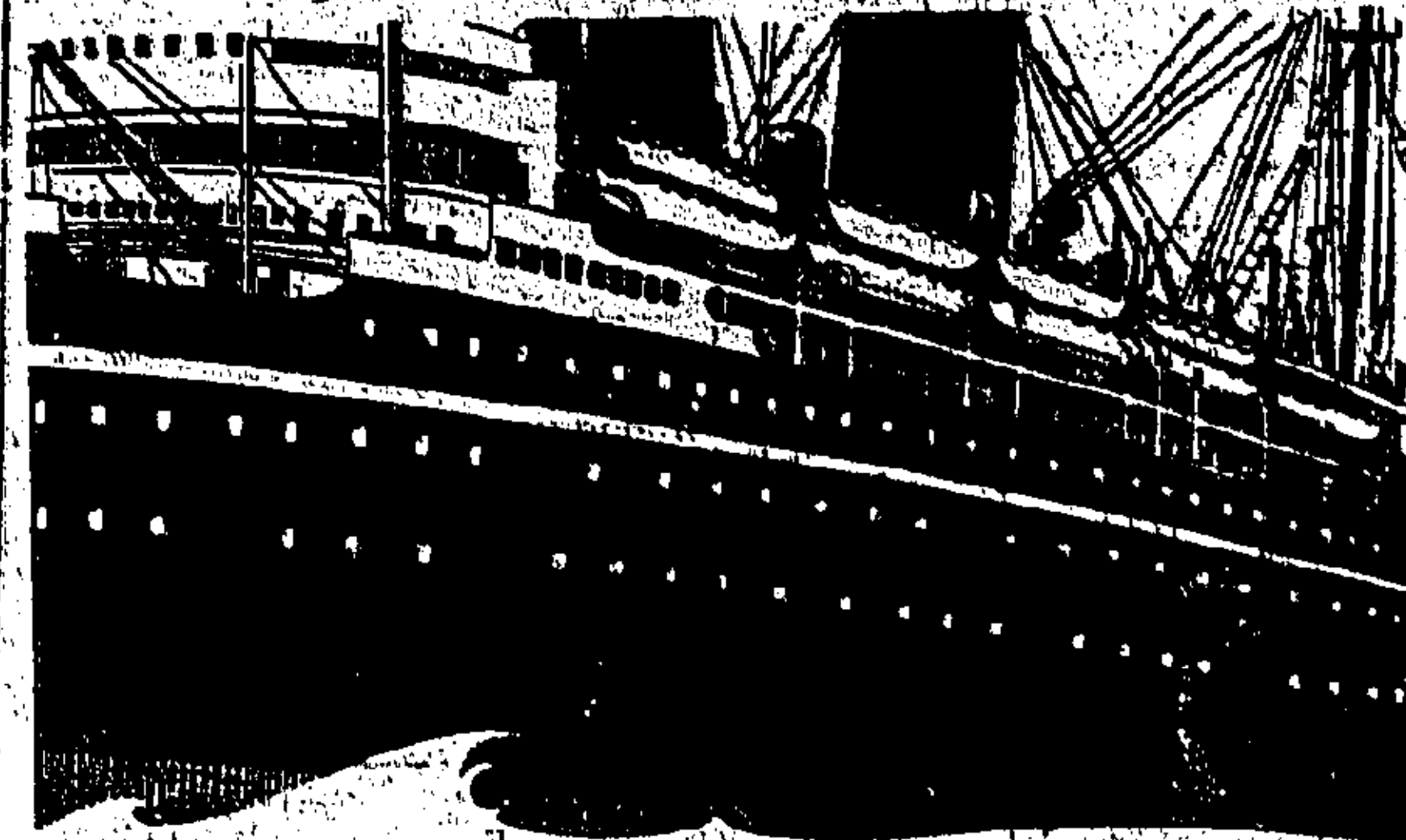
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BEHAR 6,000 31st Aug. Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.

KIDDERPORE 5,000 4th Sept. Straits and Bombay.

NALDERA 16,000 7th Sept. Bombay, Marseilles & London.

ISUDAN 7,000 14th Sept. Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.

BANGORA 17,000 21st Sept. Marseilles & London.

RAJPUTANA 17,000 28th Oct. Bombay, Marseilles & London.

BURDWAN 6,000 12th Oct. Bombay, Marseilles, Havre, London, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.

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NANKIN 7,000 4th Oct. Sydney, Melbourne & Hobart

NELLORE 7,000 2nd For

SAILINGS TO SHANGHAI & JAPAN

RAMPURA 17,000 22nd Aug. Shanghai, Kobe & Yokoh

